THE WEATHER.

Unsettled with probably rain late Saturday or Sunday, moderate variable winds.

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WOLGAST EASILY WINS THE FIGHT

Lightweight Champion Defeated Le Gravein 'Frisco Last Night

ATTELL ALSO DEFEATS BURNS

Fight Too One-Sided to be Interesting. Attell Won Bout in New York. Features of the Bouts Are Given.

Auditorium Pavilion, San Francisco, March 31.—Lightweight Champion Ad Wolgast, made short shrift of Antone LaGrave, a rather obscure local fighter. Wolgast battled his opponent about the ring, landing whenever and wherever he chose.

LaGraves' seconds threw up the sponge after about two minutes fighting in the fifth round as it was apparent that LaGrave would not last the round out.

The fight was too one-sided to be interesting. Wolgast took command of affairs at the very outset and the "Butcher Town Idol" never had a chance to rest or land a return blow.

In the second round the champion almost brought the bout to a quick ending by sending LaGrave through the ropes with a terriffic right to the jaw and followed this by flooring his man for the count of nine.

In the fourth round LaGrave took the count four times and the spectators importuned Referee Jack Welsh to stop the fight. The last round found Wolgast beating an almost helpless fighter and his seconds intervened.

The men fought at 133 pounds ringside. Wolgast was an overwhelming favorite at 10 to 4. There was some betting at even money that LaGrave would last 15 rounds.

Attell Outclassed Burns.

New York, March 31.—Abe Attell, the featherweight champion, outclassed Frankie Burns, the bantam-weight of Jersey City, at the National Sporting Club tonight. Attell took the risk of making 118 pounds at ring side, which he did for the first time since he became champion of his class.

Although Burns was the aggressor, the champion with his ring generalship outpointed him, notwithstanding that his left arm was rendered almost useless by lefts which Burns delivered on his elbow and shoulders in the fifth and sixth rounds. It was on injury to thi sarm which had kept Attell from the ring for the past few weeks, and after Burns' blows he fought almost the rtmaining rounds with his right.

In the ninth round he sent Burns to the floor with a right swing for the count of nine, and with exactly the same blow he turned the trick again in the final round.

Burns appeared frightened then, but thereafter the Jersey City bantam became the aggressor, and took honors in the fourth, and split even in the fifth and sixth.

ABOUT EFFECT OF COCA COLA.

More Evidence Produced in Favor of the Popular Beverage.

Chattanooga, Tenn., March 31.—The early part of the morning hearing in the coca cola case was rother uninteresting. Local physicians, including Dr. B.H. Brown, former food inspector; Dr. J. W. Johnson, and insurance examiner, and Dr. Cooper Holtzclaw and Dr. B. S. Wert, practitioners, were on the stand, and they all gave it as their opinion that a moderate use of coca cola was not injurious to health.

Drs. Brown, Holtzclaw and Wert, in 1910, conducted an examination on 100 coca cola drinkers. All were males, ranging in age from 14 to 56 years, and they drank from one to 15 glasses of coca cola daily. The results were that on 76 subjects it had no effect; on 11 it stimulated; eight were kept awake at night and one was nervous, the others showing minor effects.

Dr. Holtzclaw had during his long practice only treated one patient for coca cola drinking, and he suffered from indigestion because of improper food and excessive use of coca cola, tea and coffee. These drinks were stopped and the patient recovered.

PENSACOLA RACES ASSURED.

Anti-Betting Statute Isn't Operative Until May 1, Says Decision.

Pensacola, Fla., March 31.—The expected legal interference with the Pensacola race meet by the commercial associations did not materialize today, the county solicitor having declared that bookmaking in this State was not prohibited by law.

The anti-betting statute will not go into effect until May 1, and as the track meet scheduled to begin today is only for 15 days, no interference is expected.

The owners of racing stables who were frightened by announcement that there would be no meet, were reassured by the solicitor's decision and re-entered their horses in today's card.

Seven to Nine.

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Registration books open at polling places today. See that your name is written there. **

FAVORS BUCKET SHOP RULING

Justice Gould Also Declares the Legislation Unconstitutional—Government May Secure New Indictments.

Washington, March 31.—Justice Ashley M. Gould, of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, announced today his determination to adopt the opinion of Justice Wright declaring unconstitutional the attempt by Congress to pass special "anti-bucketing" legislation.

Justice Gould has had under consideration the demurrers filed by Price & Company, of Baltimore, to an indictment charging William B. Price and eight others with conspiracy and another indictment with conducting a bucket shop.

That the victory gained by the decision of Justice Wright and the concurrence of Justice Gould will be a "vacant," even if the Court of Appeals should sustain the invalidity of the law, is an opinion expressed today by members of the local bar.

Since the Court of Appeals, they point out, has decided in the Wade case that a bucket shop is a gambling place under the code which prohibits setting up a gambling table it will only be necessary for the government to secure new indictments charging conspiracy to commit the crime of gaming.

The belief is expressed that such indictments would hold, in view of the fact that the Court of Appeals, the court of last resort in criminal cases in this district, has decided against the bucket shops.

GAYNOR DEFENDS SELF.

No More Police Officials Will Retire as Millionaires.

New York, March 31.—No more police officials in New York will retire as millionaires if Mayor Gaynor has his way. In lieu of accepting an invitation to address the City Club the mayor wrote one of his characteristic epistles tonight, defending himself and the police department from current charges of inefficiency.

"For thirty years," he writes, "the rank and file of the police force have seen inspectors and others in chief rulership retire as millionaires, one after another. I trust that no official of the police department will be able to retire a millionaire at the end of my term. The great body of the force today is absolutely honest, faithful, intelligent and alert.

"As for the cry in some newspapers now about the 'wave of crime,' as they call it, I can only say that it recures once a year with the regularity that the marble season recurs to boys. We heard it last year, and every year before, and at this time next year, we shall hear it again."

The grand jury was busy today examining witnesses to establish, if possible, just what are the conditions in the city.

Father McGrath, who has charge of a Catholic mission on the water front, and Stafford Wright, a paymaster for dock workers, testified that river gangs were assaulting immigrants and patrons of riverside hotels almost nightly, and that doubtless many of the victims were knocked unconscious and thrown into the river.

In his letter tonight Mayor Gaynor points with pride to the fact that the "number of arrests for frivilous causes in New York last year, was reduced by 50,000."

"The streets were never so free of wayward women," he continued. "Outward order and decency were never better. There were never so few gambling places in the city witnin my time; there were never so few bar rooms doing business on Sunday."

TRADE REPORTED QUIET.

Bradstreet's Review for Week—Working Forces Being Reduced.

New York, March 31.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

Trade reports are similar in tenor to those recently preceding weeks in that they continue to tell of the prevalence of quiet conditions, that conservatism still prevails, and that working forces are being reduced in some industrial establishments and in railway traffic departments. Incidentally, the railways as a whole, continue to give out orders for equipment in a grudging way, and this fact indicates that improvements will be curtailed or deferred. House trade in such lines as bleached cotton sheetings and cambrics has been stimulated by a recent cut in prices, which brings the quotations of such materials below the cost of making the goods from raw cotton previously purchased at high levels. Under the circumstances, profits are out of the question and therefore recent reductions in Fall River mill dividends are simply in line with expectations. In other respects the dry goods trade is quiet and buyers continue to purchase only as their near requirements demand. Country trade remains dull. Collections are slow and extensions are being freely requested. Business failures in the United States for the week ending March 30, wre 260 to 232 in 1910.

Greensboro, N. C., March 31.—Guilford College defeated Atlantic Christian College 8 to 6 in a slow game here this afternoon.

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CINCINNATI BOSS LOSING IN FIGHT

Political Leader Cox Was Indicted For the Third Time Yesterday

FEATURE OF LEGAL TANGLE

New Turn in Legal Tangle Which Has Been Attracting Interest—Attorneys Surprised at Action—Features.

Cincinnati, March 31.—George B. Cox's legal forces, which since February 21st with apparent success have been waging a war of technicalities against the indictment charging the financier and Republican leader with perjury, today were outflanked.

The grand jury on the eve of its mustering out returned a fresh indictment against Cox, charging perjury. On this true bill, Prosecuting Attorney Henry T. Hunt obtained a change of venue and as a consequence Cox faces the prospect of being forced into an open fight in the courts of Clermont county before the complicated situation in Hamilton county has been cleared up.

No leader of the Cox legal army was near the scene of action when the prosecutor made this latest move. When they learned of the movement, they were powerless to offer opposition.

Today's indictment was the third returned against Cox. The first was withdrawn because of a defect and the second is now before the courts of Hamilton county.

The new indictment is identical with the second, except that the word "lawful" is inserted in one sentence. Prosecutor Hunt announced that the second indictment would not be withdrawn, but that the fight on it would be carried through the Supreme Court of the State, if necessary.

The change of venue was asked on the ground that other judges were prejudiced in favor of Cox.

Judge Gorman in granting the motion for a change of venue sent the case to Clermont county.

The ink was scarcely dry on the books when the Cox attorneys rushed in to the room and filed another prejudice affidavit against the judge. It was too late to stop the venue action and the affidavit will have the effect merely of preventing Judge Gorman from citing Cox to appear tomorrow in connection with the new indictment.

A "BLACK HAND" CONFESSION.

Man Arrested in Chicago Admitted Writing Score of Letters.

Chicaga, March 31.—Philip Purpurpa, following confession today that he had written more than a score of blackmailing letters of a "black hand" signature, tonight was turned over to Federal officers. Secret Service men will try to determine whether Purpurpa can be connected with a recent letter written to United States District Judge K. M. Landis threatening him with the vengeance of the "black hand" if Guanni Alongi, on trial for blackmail, was not acquitted.

The letter to Judge Landis was followed by the discovery near his desk of a harmless "bomb" composed chifly of mucilage. The bomb at first was treated as a joke, but later secret service men declared that it was placed by the writer of the letter in order to show his ability to reach the United States judge with a real bomb.

Purpurpa's hearing was set for April 6th.

It developed during the examination of Purpurpa by Commissioner Foote that James E. Stuart, chief of the postal inspectors of the Chicago district, had been threatened with death during the Alongi trial.

Mr. Stuart declared that on the second day of the trial, while on an elevator of the Federal building, a man crowded against the gate at the sixth floor and called: "Be careful what you say against Alongi or you'll go to your death as others have."

The inspector alighted at the next floor and ordered inspectors to search the building, but they failed to find the short Italian who made the threat.

Alongi is to be placed on trial on April 3rd, a jury in a former trial having failed to agree.

TRINITY AND SWARTMORE.

Carolinians Defeat Pennsylvanians by Close Score of 5 to 4.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Durham, N. C., March 31.—In an interesting game made slow by cold weather, Trinity defeated Swarthmore this evening by the score of 5 to 4. Trinity made four runs in the third inning and Swarthmore put in three pitchers to check her. Cooper, for Trinity, made three hits out of four times at the bat and stole three bases. Score:

Swarthmore	....	200	020	000	4	4	1
Trinity	.....	104	000	00x	5	6	5

Gieg, Jaskill; Boughton and Wickham; Gantt and Maddox. Struck-out Trinity 3; Swarthmore 3; bases on balls, Gantt 3; Gieg 3; Jaskill 0; Boughton 2; umpire Rowe; attendance 450; time 1:55.

Wouldn't you entrust the city government to young men who have made good in commercial life? Then vote for E. P. Bailey—Fourth Ward. 2t.

IRREGULAR WEEK FOR COTTON

Frequent Change in Prices Have Kept Traders Guessing—Conditions Have Favored Bulls—Speculation Not Active.

New York, March 31.—Irregularity and more or less monotony have still been leading characteristics of the cotton market this week. Prices have zig-zagged frequently enough to keep everybody guessing, but the net result is some decline on the options most traded in.

Yet bulls have been favored by strong statistics, light receipts, large exports, rapidly decreasing stocks, good spinners takings, an active and strong Manchester market, spot sales of 12,000 bales a day at Liverpool, the rise in the May premium over July to 28 points and the fact that powerful interests are still friendly to the long side at any rate so far as the May option is concerned. But there is the traditional fly in the ambre. Speculation is not at all active, trade in cotton goods is low and a few days ago there were sharp cuts in prices both by mills and jobbers. Even at the reduced quotations trade in most fabrics seems to hang fire. Every day or two comes the announcement that this, that or the other mill is to curtail production. The outlook for the planting of a big crop at the South seems to be favorable. The soil is said to be in much better condition than it was a month or six weeks ago. West of the Mississippi it is believed that the acreage will be considerably increased under the stimulus of relatively high prices, i. e., $70 to $75 a bale, whereas the South has seen the price as low as $25 a bale. There is also fear of Congress and the extra session which begins on April 4th. It may take up the question of tariff revision including the cotton and woolen schedules. If it does trade it is feared will become worse than ever. Spinners are buying the actual cotton as near as can be gathered on a very moderate scale and have been for some time past. At least that appears to be the case with the American spinners. If tariff revision should be taken up it is feared that the mills both at home and abroad will be even less inclined to purchase the raw material until they can see what the new tariff is likely to be. Then there is the question of anti-option legislation. The cotton exchange members of New York are so exercised over this matter that they have just given a banquet which was practically tendered to the New York congressmen to afford an opportunity to present to them the case of the New York Exchange and enlist their aid, should another anti-option bill be introduced at the extra session. Some days ago certain members of the exchange met and passed resolutions favoring monthly revisions of the differences and the adoption of the government standard samples. Meantime, speculation as already intimated is slow. It is confined mostly to what are known as professional operators and the tone of the market is unsettled. Whether strong statistics and the May deal are to fix prices or whether they will be decided by the dullness of trade, legislation at Washington and fine crop prespects is something which only the future can determine.

FIGHTS MARRED GAME.

Between New York Players and Atlanta Leaguers.

Atlanta, Ga., March 31.—Fist fights again today marred the game between the New York Giants and the Atlanta Southern Leaguers, with Odell, of Atlanta, and Devlin, of New York, both third basemen, the participants. The trouble was checked before it reached the proportions of yesterday's mix-up and without any of the players being any the worse for the battle. Merkle later was put out of the game for squabbling. New York won the game 11 to 1, due in a great measure to the eight errors piled up by the locals.

OUTLINES.

Justice O'Gorman, of the New York State Supreme Court, was yesterday elected to the United States Senate by the Legislature, breaking a deadlock lasting since January 6th.——"Boss" Cox was for the third time indicted at Cincinnati yesterday for perjury. He is losing in the legal fight which has been attracting much attention.——Justice Wright's opinion declaring unconstitutional the legislation against bucket shopping in the District of Columbia, is upheld by another justice in that District.——A caucus to organize the Democratic House of Representatives will be held today. A report of several important committees will be heard.——Drastic action was taken by Postmaster General Hitchcock yesterday in affecting a re-organization of the postal mail service.——A man arrested in Chicago yesterday admitted writing a score of "black hand" letters.——New York markets: Money on call steady 2 3-8 to 2 1-2 per cent., ruling rate 2 3-8, closing bid 2 3-8, offered at 2 1-2. Flour was quiet with prices easy. Wheat spot easy, No. 2 red 91 7-8 elevator and 92 7-8 f.o.b. afloat. Corn spot steady, export No. 2, 52 1-4 f.o.b. afloat. Oats spot easy, standard white 36 1-4. Turpentine weak, machine barrels, 1.07. Spot cotton closed quiet five points lower, middling uplands 14.40, middling gulf 14.65.

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HITCHCOCK MAKES CHANGES IN SERVICE

Drastic Action by Postmaster General in Railway Mail Development

PROMOTERS ARE ANNOUNCED

Complains of Only Perfunctory Service on Part of Some Division Clerks—Affairs Overhauled Throughout.

Washington, March 31.—Drastic action was taken today by Postmaster General Hitchcock in effecting a reorganization of the railway mail service. A round dozen of changes of the most important officers in the service were made by Mr. Hitchcock as a result of a long and careful investigation and thorough consideration.

The most important change is that of Theodore Ingalls, of Kentucky, superintendent of the division of rural mails, who was appointed general superintendent of the railway mail service in succession to Alexander Grant, who was promoted to St. Paul, Minn., as a division superintendent. Other changes are divisional.

The affairs of the railway mail service were overhauled thoroughly by Mr. Hitchcock personally and the outcome is the most sweeping change ever made in the history of the railway mail service.

While signing the necessary orders tonight for the changes, Mr. Hitchcock said:

"The railway mail service has suffered greatly from poor management and lack of supervision. In certain of the divisions it was found that the chief clerks had not been inspecting their lines as was their duty. Some of the routes had received no inspection for several years. Instructions from the Department directing improvements as for example the proper consolidation of mail matter and the conservation of equipment received only perfunctory attention. There has been a lack of co-operation also in carrying into effect certain reforms which I had indicated and it was made evident by the inquiry that no proper spirit of co-ordination with the department existed in the railway mail service."

The necessary transfers will be made as quickly as possible.

EPOCH IN NAVAL STORES.

Greatest Range of Prices Ever Known During Season Just Ended.

Savannah, Ga., March 31.—Marking the greatest range of prices and productive of more cash to the producers than any other previous season, the 1910-11 naval stores season ended today with turpentine quoted at $1.02 a gallon. The highest point it ever held was $1.07, March 25th. The advance for the year was 42 1-4 cents from a close last year of 59 3-4.

Rosin showed remarkable advance, the lower grades steadily moving up towards the higher.

The year's receipts of turpentine were 171,689 casks, a decrease from last year of 2,657, and of rosin 612,429 barrels, a decrease of 12,503. Stocks are very small.

The lowest grade of rosin sold on June 4th last, at $4.17 1-2 to $4.25 per 280 pounds, and today at $8.07 1-2 to $8.15.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS.

Opening Sessions Yesterday Afternoon at Burlington—Addresses.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Burlington, N. C., March 31.—The Christian Endeavor State Convention opened here auspiciously with the first session held this afternoon, Prof. W. A. Harper, State president in the chair. Rev. R. E. Peele, of Spencer, conducted a quiet hour service, the theme of which was "Christ My Strength." Then the registration of delegates followed. Rev. C. H. Rubbel, of Adrian, Mich.; J. H. Peele, of Greensboro, and T. M. Johnson, of Asheboro, were speakers of the evening. Many of the delegates are here and others will come tomorrow. Three interesting sessions are on tomorrow's programme.

RETAIL HARDWARE MEN.

Oppose Parcels Post Measure at Little Rock, Ark.

Little Rock, Ark., March 31.—With the election of officers and reports of committees today, the annual convention nof the National Retail Hardware Association was brought to a close.

The association put itself on record in opposition to the parcels post measure on the ground that with the rates proposed it would result in a large postal deficit and a concentration of population and factories in the large cities to the detriment of small towns and farmers. The convention favored the repeal of the National Bankruptcy act and launched a protest against the rates charged by express companies.

Saturday Night.

All deposits made with the People's Savings Bank will draw interest from April 1st. **.

"Riders Of The Plains."

Great Western picture—Grand Theatre today. **

DEMOCRATIC PARTY CAUCUS

Will Organize for Domination of Forthcoming Extra Session of Congress—Ways and Means and Rules Committees.

Washington, March 31.—To organize for domination of the first Democratic House of Representatives since 1895, Democratic members of the 62nd Congress, which convenes in extraordinary session next Tuesday, will hold their party caucus tomorrow in the House chamber.

The report of the new Ways and Means Committee on the House committees and legislative programme, and the report of the new Rules Committee, will be considered and officers of the House will be determined upon. With relation to the legislative programme discussion will be confined chiefly to the Canadian reciprocity agreement, the tariff board bill and tariff revision. As to the speakership, Champ Clark, of Missouri, was chosen as the majority nominee at a previous session of the caucus.

Chairman Underwood, of the new Ways and Means Committee, will submit the report of that committee on the new committee chairmanships and majority personnel. The 14 Democratic members of this committee were empowered at a former session of the caucus to conduct the first experiment in House organization under the new rule and the reception their recommendations will get from their colleagues is being watched with interest. The committee expects harmony, but some contests with regard to chairmanships are probable.

POULTRY RAISING.

New Exhibit Building at State Fair. Interest in Breeding.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., March 31.—Ground has been broken for the new poultry building that is to be added to the State Fair group before the next fair in October. This poultry building is to be 64x150 feet. It will have concrete floor and all modern equipment for such a building with the most approved light and ventilating arrangements. The very great quickening of interest in poultry raising hereabouts in recent years and, indeed, in recent months, gives every indication that the poultry division of the State Fair will be one of the most popular features, an objective point of absorbing interest for all classes of people from both the cities and the country. The State Fair management is taking steps to have the walkways and drive ways about the fair grounds worked over in such a way as will prevent the heavy mud that interfered in some parts of the grounds at the last fair. However, they are hoping for the usual good luck in the matter of weather conditions.

KIDNAPPERS CLOSELY PURSUED.

Cowboys Join in Chase In New Hampshire—Big Ransom.

Las Vegas, N. M., March 31.—Headed for the "bad lands," near the Oklahoma line, four bandits, who kidnapped the 2-year-old son of A. T. Rogers, Jr., an attorney of this city, and compelled the payment of a $12,000 ransom, are tonight closely pursued by deputies with the prospect of a conflict.

Bloodhounds are used in the chase. A message from a ranch sixty miles northeast of here tonight said that four men believed to be the bandits passed there riding at full gallop. Cowboys from the ranch started after the fugitives. They had ropes for a lynching in case the kidnappers should be captured.

The kidnappers are believed to be members of a gang of postoffice and bank robbers, all ex-convicts.

A reward of $20,000 has been offered for the kidnappers dead or alive.

BUY SAN ANTONIO PAPER.

Two Associated Press Men Retire from the Service.

New York, March 31.—Col. Chas. S. Diehl and Mr. Harry L. Beach have purchased the "San Antonio Light," at San Antonio, Texas, and will retire from their position in the Associated Press, their resignations to be effective at the convenience of the service.

Colonel Diehl has been connected with the Associated Press for the past twenty-eight years, during eighteen years of which he has been assistant general manager. Mr. Beach's relation to the Associated Press nas covered a period of twenty years, and for the past two years he has been superintendent of the Central Division. Both gentlemen were highly trained journalists, distinctly efficient in their work and have contributed materially to the high position attained by the Associated Press.

BIG NORFOLK BOND ISSUE.

Sold to Harris Forbes & Co., of New York Yesterday.

Norfolk, Va., March 31.—The Norfolk City Finance Committee has sold to Harris Forbes & Company, of New York, a total bond issue of $669,000 four and one-half per cent. thirty-year municipal bonds at 98.03. A large block of these have been re-sold on the European market, according to announcement by the purchasers, who today took up an option.

E. P. Bailey.

Wants the vote of every man who stands for a better and bigger Wilmington. 2t.

Registration books open at polling places today. See that your name is written there. **

O'GORMAN BREAKS ALBANY DEADLOCK

Supreme Court Justice Elected to Senate From New York State

MARKS END OF LONG STRUGGLE

Both Dix and Murphy Pleased at the Election—Succeeds Chauncey M. Depew—Sheehan Receives Votes to the Last.

Albany, N. Y., March 31.—Supreme Court Justice James Aloysus O'Gorman, Democrat of New York City, was elected United States Senator tonight by the Legislature after the most protracted struggle over this position ever held in the Empire State. On the final ballot, the sixty-fourth, he received 112 votes to 80 cast for Chauncey M. Depew, whose term expired March 4th.

The result was in doubt almost to the minute of recording the votes owing to the uncertainty as to how many of the Democratic insurgents, who, for over two months, had prevented an election because of their opposition to William F. Sheehan, would enter the second caucus which had been adjourned from day to day since Monday. At the close of a day of almost continuous negotiations the insurgents capitulated and Justice O'Gorman was elected.

A few minutes before the ballot was cast, Justice O'Gorman's resignation from the bench was filed at the office of the Secretary of State, as a constitutional provision would have prohibited his election while holding the office of Justice of the Supreme Court.

While applause marked the end of the long contest and the Legislature driven from the State capitol by Wednday's fire quickly adopted a resolution adjourning until April 17th.

Governor Dix tonight expressed gratification at the result.

"The State of New York," he said, has elected for its representative in the Federal Senate an eminent jurist, a man of pronounced ability of great attainments and of the highest character. The election of Judge OGorman cannot but meet with the approval of the citizens of this State, regardless of part. He will rank with the ablest statemen the Senate has known, will well represent the Empire State and bestow honor upon the party that elected him. I am gratified at this solution of the problem which has confronted the Democratic members of the Legislature for the past ten weeks."

Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, who for weeks has been striving to bring about the election of Mr. Sheehan, expressed himself as highly pleased at the outcome.

"No better selection could have been made by the party after the unfair and unmerited defeat of Governor Sheehan, whose position before the people has been greatly strengthened," said Mr. Murphy.

"Judge O'Gorman needs no commendation from any one, but the public undoubtedly will see that in the triumph of the majority rule and in sustaining the party caucus the power of the party and its opportunities to serve the people have been greatly increased."

Last night it was understood that a senator would be selected today from a list of eleven submitted by the insurgents. Early this morning Mr. Murphy came to Albany and co-incidentally reports were spread that Justice O'Gorman had been selected as the choice of the Democratic organization.

The insurgents, who had about made up their minds to enter the caucus upon the assurance that no names would be submitted outside of their list of eleven, balked at this changed programme. They failed to appear at the morning caucus and postponement was held until 3 P. M. Meantime a committee representing the regulars was arguing with the insurgents which were in conference at the residence of their leader, Senator Roosevelt, and finally 14 of thm voted to put an end to the struggle by accepting Justice O'Gorman. One insurgent did not vote and the other eight were recorded against this proposition. It was about 5 o'clock when the caucus re-convened. As a contingent of insurgents filed into the chamber a burst of applause greeted them.

"Its O'Gorman," some one yelled, and then the din became deafening. And O'Gorman it was, when the first ballot was concluded. The ballot showed a total of 101 present and voting, apportioned in this way:

James A. O'Gorman 63; William F. Sheehan 23; Isidor Straus 5; D. Cady Herrick 4; John D. Kernon 3; Alton B. Parker 1; William Sulzer 1.

The vote for O'Gorman on motion, was then made unanimous.

Senators Roosevelt and Burd, followed by a number of other insurgents, who had not participated in the caucus, filed into the chamber to a mingled chorus and jeers.

"Tam-ma-nee! Tam-ma-nee!" sang out some one and half the members joined in the chorus, drowning the voice of the speaker. In vain he

pounded the desk with his gavel.

Members were hugging one another in their joy at this ending of the wearying struggle and they continued to howl and sing and scream.

"The House will please be in order," persisted the Speaker.

"Yow! Yow! schreeched the assemblage; "Tam-ma-nee! Tam-ma-nee!"

It was some minutes before order could be restored and the formal ratification of the caucus decree began.

When the name of Senator Brackett, minority leader, was called he arose and taunted the insurgents, declaring that after they had refused to support one man, the choice of a majority of the party, because of his relations with Tammany Hall, they had "finally joined in the election of one who has been infinitely closer to, and more potential in that organization than Mr. Sheehan.'

Assembly Leader Merritt, Republican House leader, had something to say in the same vein. To them Senator Wagner and Assemblyman Smith, majority leader of the two Houses retorted in like spirit.

A hush of expectancy fell over the chamber when Senator Roosevelt's name was called.

"Two months ago," said the insurgent leader, "a number of Democrats felt that it was out of duty to dissent from certain of our party associates in the matter of selecting a United States senator. We have followed the dictates of our consciences and have done our duty as we saw it. I believe that as a result the Democratic party has taken an upward step. We are Democrats—not irregulars, but regulars. I take pleasure in casting my vote for the Hon. James A. O'Gorman."

James O'Gorman's Record.

New York, March 31.—James O'Gorman has long been one of the most prominent members of Tammany Hall. He has been one of its foremost orators for 30 years, having established his reputation as a public speaker in its interests when at the age of 21, his eloquence was credited with having saved a doubtful assembly district.

Mr. O'Gorman was born on the lower West Side of New York City, May 5, 1860. He is the son of Thomas and Ellan Gorman and married Ann M. Leslie in this city in January 2, 1884. They have nine children, seven daughters and two sons.

After finishing a course in the public schools Mr. O'Gorman, as a lad of 17, entered the college of the City of New York and later attended the University of New York law school, was graduated and entered at the bar in 1882.

From the time he cast his first vote he aligned himself with Tammany Hall, which favored him generously. In 1893 he was elected a justice of the municipal court, and in 1899 was elected a justice of the Supreme Court for a term of 14 years from January 1, 1900. His salary has been $17,500, or almost three times what he will receive as United States Senator. And he has almost three years to serve while as a Senator he has six years.

The new Senator is a member of the Law Institute, the Medico-Legal Society, Catholic Club, Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, New York Athletic Club, Champlain Club, Royal Arcanum and other organizations he has received honorary degree of doctor of laws from the college of St. Thomas of Villa Nova, 1804, Fordham University 1908 and New York University 1908.

He Favors Reciprocity.

New York, March 31.—The new senator from New York will support all the progressive policies of the Democratic party and will join hands with President Taft in urging reciprocity with Canada and the fortification of the Panama canal.

"My best efforts shall be devoted to meeting the just expectations of my fellow citizens," he said in a statement issued at his home late tonight.

"As I stated in a telegram to the Democratic caucus today, I am in thorough accord with the principles enunciated in the platforms of the last Democratic national and State conventions."

Mr. O'Gorman here sketched an outline of his policies in substance as follows:

"He stands for immediate downward revision of the tariff; reciprocity with Canada, the parcels post, fortification of the Panama canal; direct election of United States Senators and the Federal income tax. He favors rigid economy in government expenditures and is opposed to "all special privileges and private monopoly; to the new nationalism and to the centralizing tendencies of the Republican party."

Mr. O'Gorman was flooded with congratulatory telegrams and telephone messages tonight. Among the many who called him up were Charles F. Murphy, Daniel Cohalan, Representatives Jefferson M. Levy and William Sulzer, and Archbishop Farley.

Commenting on the election, Francis Lynde Stetson, a New York lawyer, who has taken a prominent part in the senatorial conferences, said tonight:

"Justice O'Gorman is one of the ablest and most trusted of the judges in the State of New York, and will take a place among the ablest and most trusted members of the Senate of the United States. His election will tend to unite the party."

AGAINST COLORED PYTHIANS.

Charleston Darkeys Agree to Become Knights of Hannibal.

Columbia, S. C., March 31.—Grand Chancellor Doar, of the Knights of Pythias, has won in his contention against the issuance of a charter to three Charleston negroes for the "Knights of Pythias of the Eastern and Western Hemispheres."

The Secretary of State refused to issue the charter to the negroes, and they have agreed to accept a charter under the name of the "Knights of Hannibal."

Atlanta, Ga., March 31.—General Iverson, veteran of the Mexican and Civil Wars, and son of the late Alfred Iverson, United States Senator, died here today. He was 82 years old. Gen. Iverson distinguished himself during the Civil War by capturing the only major general taken by the Confederates, General Stoneman.

Old and Strong.

Deposit your money with the People's Savings Bank today and get the benefit of their regular interest period. **

AFTERMATH OF FIRE HORROR.

Building Placed Under Ban—Arrests In Chicago.

New York, March 31.—The new home of the Trinagle Waist Company, of whose employes 144 met death as a result of the Washington Place fire last Saturday, was placed under the ban of the building department this afternoon. The order sets forth that the Triangle management has placed four rows of machines, 21 in each row, so that egress to the fire escape is blocked.

The company had resumed work this morning on the top floor of a six-story structure rated non-fire proof, in University Place, not far from the scene of the recent disaster. Changes in the machine arrangement are required before work can go on.

Rlief funds for the fire sufferers totalled $65,571 tonight, sufficient with what is to come from benefits already planned to give all needed aid, in the opinion of the Red Cross Emergency Relief Committee. Thirteen unidentified bodies remain in the morgue.

Chicago, March 31.—Ninety-three arrests for violation of the building ordinance were ordered today by Building Commissioner Murdoch Campbell as a result of investigations that followed the fatal fire in New York City on March 25th.

The buildings in which the violations were found range from expense apartment buildings in the residence quarter to several factories and two hospitals, where conditions are said to be dangerous.

Inspector Campbell declared the next suits would include actions against others of downtown office buildings and small hotels.

WORLD'S AUTO RECORD.

Only Event in Final Day's Automobile Meet—Strang Files a Protest. How Contestants Stood.

Jacksonville, Fla., March 31.—Taking the lead in the first mile and never being headed, Louis Disbro, driving a Pope-Hartford, won the 300-mile automobile race over the Atlantic Pablo Beach course today. The time was 3:53:33 1-2, lowering the world's mark for 50 miles, held by Fletcher, made on the Dietrich in 1905, and the 200?mile record, made by Tobin DeHymel, last year, and establishing new world's records for 250 and 300 mile marks.

The contest was the only event run for the final day's tournament. The drivers were called to the wire at 11 o'clock. Bob Burman, who was entered with his Prince Henry Benz, was supplying his car with fuel and arrived at the line too late to start. Merz, in a National, finished second in 4:15:19. Hughie Hughes, in the Mercer, was declared the winner of third position by the officials, but Lewis Strang filed a protest, claiming that he finished more of the contest than Hughes. Strang drove his case car 280 miles, and when stopped was in third position, having passed Hughes, who broke down three miles from the tape.

SOUTHERN VETERANS' OFFER.

Tennessee Confederates Are Mustered Into State Militia.

Knoxville, Tenn., March 31.—A. W. Fulkerson camp, United Confederate Veterans, of Tazewell, Tenn., has been formally mustered into the National Guard, of the State of Tennessee.

J. D. Nelms has been commissioned captain of the company. The veteran militiamen forwarded today to President Taft a tender of their services and go to the Mexican border in the event of hostilities. This is the only company of its kind in the Tenneseee militia organization.

Galveston, Texas, March 31.—Dr. Carl Buck, ship surgeon of the North German Lloyd Liner Koeln, which arrived today, committed suicide March 29th for no known cause. He shot himself through the heart. Dr. Buck was buried at sea.

TESTED and PROVEN

There is a Heap of Solace in Being Able to Depend Upon a Well-Earned Reputation.

For months Wilmington readers have seen the constant expression of praise for Doan's Kidney Pills, and read about the good work they have done in this locality. Not another remedy ever produced such convincing proof of merit.

L. H. Partin, 505 Chestnut St., Wilmington, N. C., says: "I am very pleased to confirm the public statement I gave in February 1908, recommending Doan's Kidney Pills. I have used this remedy occasionally since then and it has always brought the best results." (Statement given December 26, 1910.)

The endorsement referred to by Mr. Partin was in substance as follows: "My back was weak and lame and I had acute pains across my loins. The secretions from my kidneys were highly colored and filled with sediment and caused me much distress when being voided. When I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised, I obtained a box from Bellamy's Drug Store and began their use according to directions. They acted just as represented and drove away all the symptoms of y complaint."

For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

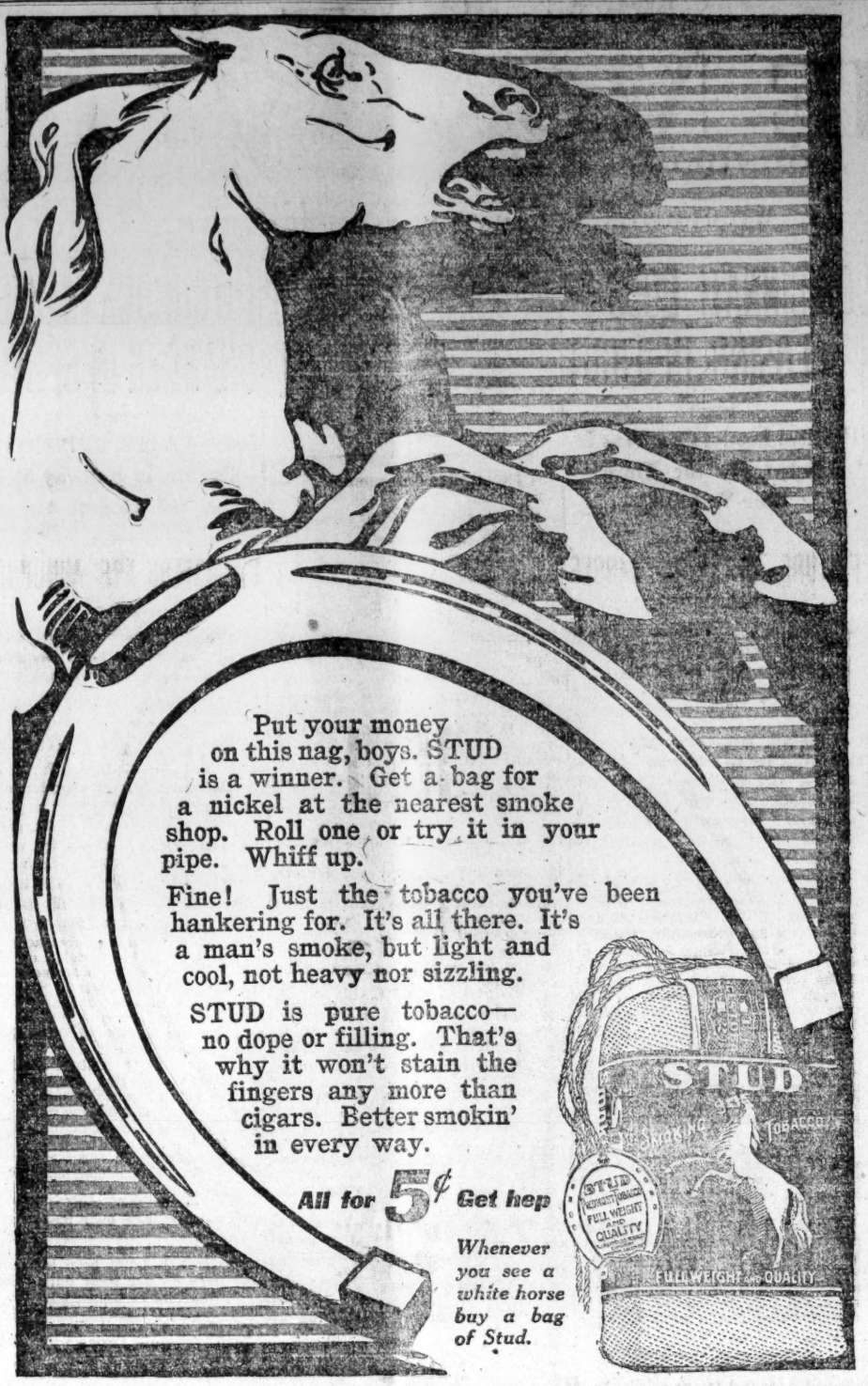
Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, rendered in a special proceeding entitled Louis T. Hill, et al., vs. Willie Hill, et al., the undersigned Commissioner, will, on the 10th day of April, 1911, at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House door of New Hanover county, sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described lot or parcel of land, in the City of Wilmington bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in Block 269, 165 feet westwardly from the western line of Anderson street, and 66 feet northwardly from the northern line of Green street, and runs thence westwardly and parallel with Green street 65 feet; thence southwardly and parallel with Anderson street 33 feet; thence eastwardly and parallel with Green street 65 feet; thence northwardly and parallel with Anderson street 33 feet, to the beginning, being part lot 5 in Block 269, according to official plan of City of Wilmington.

C. D. WEEKS, Commissioner.
March 10, 1911. mh11-4t-sa


Put your money on this nag, boys. STUD is a winner. Get a bag for a nickel at the nearest smoke shop. Roll one or try it in your pipe. Whiff up.
Fine! Just the tobacco you've been hankering for. It's all there. It's a man's smoke, but light and cool, not heavy nor sizzling.
STUD is pure tobacco—no dope or filling. That's why it won't stain the fingers any more than cigars. Better smokin' in every way.
All for 5¢ Get hep
Whenever you see a white horse buy a bag of Stud.
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FULL WEIGHT AND QUALITY

DAVID'S

YOU may feel inclined to have a very early look at the new Spring styles in clothes, even if you are not ready to buy any; it pays a man to take enough interest in what he wears to know what other men are going to wear.

Hart Schaffner & Marx

new Spring styles are here, and ready to show to any man who wants to look at them. One thing you'll be impressed with when you look at them; and that is, the thorough way in which we have prepared to supply every need of every man in this community, in the matter of clothes; not only a great variety of attractive fabrics, colors, patterns, weaves; but all the new style creations by these greatest of all clothes makers; and plenty of them.

We'd like to have you know why we make so much of a feature of Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes. It is partly because of what we know you know about them. They're not the only clothes that are made of all-wool fabrics; but they're the only clothes you're sure of. They're not the only clothes that have style, and good tailoring, but you know they have these, and you don't know of any other clothes that you're quite so sure of.

The point is, that the name of Hart Schaffner & Marx touches a responsive note in the minds of so many men, a note that we want to sound, that we twang that string a good deal.

There's more reason than ever for making that kind of a noise about our store; for the clothes are fine; and you'll say it when you see them.

The A. David Co.

TAILORS, CLOTHIERS & FURNISHERS.
This Store is the Home of Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes.
John B. Stetson Hats and Manhattan Shirts.

Fez, Morocco, March 31.—The rebel Beniceter tribesmen hove defeated a government force, killing 20 soldiers and wounding 50. This rebel success has resulted in a number of other tribes, which hitherto had been neutral, joining the revolt.

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PRIMARY ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a primary election in the City of Wilmington on Tuesday, April 18th, 1911, for the nomination of candidates for the office of councilmen, as provided for in an act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, Session of 1911, entitled "An Act to Amend the Charter of the City of Wilmington."

The First Ward has been divided into two election precincts, as follows: Precinct No. 1, That part of the First Ward lying south of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad; Precinct No. 2, That part of the First Ward lying north of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad.

The Fifth Ward has been divided into two precincts, as follows: Precinct No. 1, That part of Fifth Ward lying east of Fifth street; Precinct No. 2, That part of Fifth Ward lying west of Fifth street.

The polling places and election officers for the said election shall be as follows:

First Ward.

Precinct No. 1.—Engine House, Fourth and Campbell streets. Wm. Sheehan, Registrar; P. J. Breen and Geo. M. Grant, Judges of Election.

Precinct No. 2.—J. W. Kerr's Store, Fourth and Hurnett streets. J. W. Kerr, Registrar; R. L. Clements and L. A. Watkins, Judges of Election.

Second Ward.

Woolvin Building, Princess street.—W. W. Hodges, Registrar; W. J. Meredith and Henry Gieschen, Judges of Election.

Third Ward.

Giblem Lodge, Eighth and Princess streets.—A. G. Hankins, Registrar; J. O. Powers and B. W. Morrill, Judges of Election.

Fourth Ward.

W. P. Oldham's Store, Dock street, between Front and Second streets.—Roger Kingsbury, Registrar; S. Siegler and T. G. Pickett, Judges of Election.

Fifth Ward.

Precinct No. 1.—Engine House, Sixth and Castle streets.—Geo. W. Irving, Registrar; Jas. Weinberg and W. M. Creasy, Judges of Election.

Precinct No. 2.—Market House, Fifth and Castle streets.—George Parker, Registrar; Fred. Westermann and R. A. Burnett, Judges of Election.

Registration books open Saturday, March 18th, 1911, and remain open for twenty days.

A new registration is ordered for said primary election, and no person shall be qualified to vote therein except such as register under the said new registration.

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Chairman County Board of Elections.
John S. McEachern,
Secretary.
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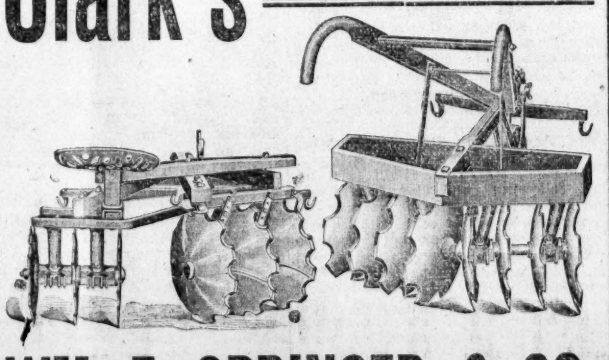

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Wilmington, N. C., March 13, 1911.
Cape Fear Oil Co.,
Wilmington, N. C.
Gentlemen:—This is to certify that in my flight over the City of Wilmington, as well as in all other flights made for the Wilmington Driving Association, I used Gasolene furnished by the Cape Fear Oil Co. I found same to be very satisfactory and could not ask for any better.
Aeronautically yours,
(Signed) LINCOLN BEACHEY.

TUESDAY, MARCH 21st,

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POLITICAL GOSSIP AT CAPITAL

Three-Cornered Fight for Senatorship—County Commencement Exercises—Y. M. C. A. Campaign in Raleigh.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., March 31.—Interest in the pending contest for the United States Senatorship is increasing steadily with United States Senator Simmons actively "mending his fences" with special aggressiveness in view of attacks and criticisms that have been made upon him as his friends believe with a view to crippling his standing for renomination and election in 1913, with an "open secret" throughout the State that Governor Kitchin is in the race for the Simmons toga with nothing lacking for full-fledged candidacy except actual formal announcement which is sure to be forthcoming before many days, and with the friends of ex-Governor Aycock urging him to make the contest a three-cornered one and insisting that he can easily win and save the State from what they claim would be a disastrous party fight in the line of battle is confined to Simmons and Kitchin ranks.

Governor Aycock is very much improved in health the past few days and is out and about the city quite actively now, talking freely, too with his friends when they broach the subject of senatorship to him. He has not yet said that he will be a candidate. He makes it clear, though, that he feels perfectly free to run so far as any obligations to either of the other two candidates is concerned. He has told friends that it is a mistake that he has at any time said that he would not get in the race against Senator Simmons. He is giving his friends to understand that he is under no obligations and that he is considering seriously and quite appreciatively the flood of appeals coming in to him to make the race. He declares enthusiastically that he expects to be a well man within a few weeks now.

Ex-Governor Aycock and State Superintendent of Public Instruction Joyner spent today in Goldsboro participating in a unique educational gathering, the first of the kind ever held in this State. It was a joint commencement exercises participated in by all the public schools of the county. The exercises continued during the morning, afternoon and evening, a basket picnic being included. There were addresses by ex-Governor Aycock and State Superintendent Joyner and numbers of the students from the various schools were introduced as declaimers and participants in a number of literary, mathematical and spelling and other contests. There were especially creditable exhibits of the work accomplished in the various schools during the past school year that were inspected during the day by the throngs of people there and that made a splendid showing of the standard of work maintained in the Wayne county schools. There are to be a number of similar county commencement events later in the Spring. The next one will be at Asheboro for the Randolph schools April 8th. There will be one for Sampson county at Clinton, April 28th. Still others are being arranged for.

Y. M. C. A. building fund solicitors have in hand tonight $60,885 subscriptions toward the $65,000 proposed to be raised and have concluded to increase the grand total to $75,000 by tomorrow night when the canvass closes.

FIRE AT GOLDSBORO.

Wood and Coal Yard of W. H. Griffin Company Burned.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Goldsboro, N. C., March 31.—Fire was discovered this morning about 1 o'clock in the wood yards of the W. H. Griffin Wood & Coal Company. A great quantity of wood and coal also the large shed, was destroyed. The exact loss cannot be estimated but it is supposed to be somewhere between five and six hundred dollars, with no insurance. The general opinion is that the fire originated by sparks from the Empire Manufacturing Company. The firemen worked heroically to save nearby dwellings which caught several times, and in keeping the flames from spreading to the tanks of the Standard Oil Company, which are located near the wood yard. If these tanks had caught the entire south end of town would have been doomed, several large manufacturing plants being located near them.

ROCKY MOUNT ROBBERY.

Another Plate Glass Smashed—Vaudeville Booking Agency Moved.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., March 31.—Last night shortly after 11 o'clock the police discovered that the plate glass window in the store of Joyner & Rowland, at Hill and Main streets, had been broken and that several pair of shoes were missing, the robbery being not unlike several that have occurred here recently.

The Carolina Booking Exchange will be removed from this city to Charlotte, Manager W. F. Swaringer having left today for the latter city. The exchange has been booking vaudeville and motion pictures in Eastern Carolina and from the new office in Charlotte will considerably extend its operations.

Kicked by a Mad Horse.

Samuel Birch, of Beetown, Wis., had a most narrow escape from losing his leg, as no doctor could heal the frightful sore that developed, but at last Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it completely. Its the greatest healer of ulcers, burns, boils, eczema, scalds, cuts, corns, cold-stores, bruises and piles on earth. Try it. 25c at R. R. Bellamy's.

Seven to Nine.

On Saturday night the People's Savings Bank is open for your convenience. Deposit your money there tonight. **

Registration books open at polling places today. See that your name is written there. **

FROM ROCKY POINT.

A Successful Farmer and His Methods of Intensive Farming—Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Point, N. C., March 31.—The last whistling March winds are carrying clouds of dust, blowing off hats, clothes from the line and some other discomforts. But the ground is drying out, corn is coming up, onto beans, potatoes and cucumbers. The white clover and vetch form a green carpet on the sidewalks, and life seems worth living notwithstanding the boasts of the old-timers that things now are not as good as they used to be. Yes, the automobile, though a luxury, has come to stay, good roads are coming too, and ere long there will be ten flying machines to one auto. How does the living compare with forty years ago? The very best, for the dinner table was turnips, salads and scullions. You didn't eat any strawberries, cabbage, lettuce or peas until June. Today, the menu for dinner was: planked young shad with roe and eggs hot from the nest. Big Boston lettuce, home-raised cabbage with Pender ham; rhubarb pie, and Elberta peaches for desert. Of course, we had golden butter and milk to wash it down. That rhubarb can be successfully grown on Greater Rocky Point can be attested by visiting the farm of Mr. C. J. Miller, who has reclaimed a dreaded bay that has swallowed up many cows that were tempted by the early Spring growth of grasses and clover that grew in the margin and like the fatal mirage of the desert, entices its victims to their death. On this spot Mr. Miller is raising horse raddish, rhubarb, caladium esculatum, celery and other crops. The muck soil is several feet deep, and before drained it was considered extra hazardous for a bull frog to attempt to cross—the soil shook like a bowl of jelly. All of the Rocky Point soil is underlaid with a heavy strata of iron with phosphate nodules intermingled. Grows corn and almost any crop. Just at the higher side of the natural muck, Mr. Miller is raising the finest lettuce that North Carolina can produce. He will net over $700 per acre on this crop. To show the high grade and reputation of his goods, he received a wire from Philadelphia with advices to ship at prices from $2.50 to $3.00 per basket. The other growers here have nearly disposed of their crops. He planted with an idea of hitting the "Easter markets." His best crop, of which he has several acres, will soon commence going forward. He has corn in the barn, meat in the smokehouse, hog in the mow, and money in the bank. His boys are interested in a financial way in all his trucking operations, and keep a gasolene launch for pleasure on the river.

The moral of this story is: There are plenty of other lands "just as good" that only await the development and drainage. On his farm can be seen broad acres of rye, sown for pasturage. His cows are slick and fat and yield the finest golden butter. His is an ideal farm, but there are others as good on the Point.

A. & M. DOINGS.

Y. M. C. A. Campaign Progressing—News of the Campus.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

West Raleigh, N. C., March 31.—At the second meeting of the workers in the campaign among the students for the raising of $5,000 towards the proposed Y. M. C. A. building for the college, the Whites under the leadership of Graeme Ross, reported subscriptions of $1,475 to date; the Reds under the leadership of George Ross, reported subscriptions of $1,317 to date, making a grand total of $2,752, or more than half of the amount to be raised in all, being secured the first two days of the campaign.

President D. H. Hill returned Wednesday from a ten-days vacation spent at Pinehurst, greatly improved in health. While away President Hill delivered an address in Charlotte in behalf of a Farm Life School for Mecklenburg county.

President E. K. Graham, of the State Literary and Historical Association, has appointed Dr. T. P. Harrison, dean of the faculty, and head of the Department of English, to fill the place on the executive committee made vacant by the resignation of Dr. D. H. Hill.

The management of the track team has announced that no entries will be made by A. & M. in the Southern Inter-collegiate track meet soon to be held at Charlottesville, Va., on account of a lack of funds.

It has been announced from the office of the Commandant of Cadets, Captain W. G. Peace, that the annual inspection of the cadet battalion by an officer of the General Staff of the U. S. Army, will take place Thursday, April 13th, regular drills being discontinued after that date.

The Sound Sleep of Good Health.

Can not be over estimated and any ailment that prevents it is a menace to health. J. L. Southers, Eau Claire, Wis., says: "I have been unable to sleep soundly nights, because of pains across my back and soreness of my kidneys, and my general condition was much run down. I have been taking Foley's Kidney Pills but a short time and now sleep as sound as a rock. I know that Foley Kidney Pills have cured me." Robt. R. Bellamy.

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COLUMBUS NEWS NOTES.

Negro Woman Arrested—Stone Removed—Street Paving.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., March 31.—A negro woman was arrested at Chadbourn, under the charge of firing the shot that killed Minnie Freeman, colored, several weeks ago on a plantation near Dillon, S. C. Henry Robers, the negro supposed to have killed the woman, was arrested on the night train coming to Mullins. He denied doing the shooting, but claimed that his paramour, the woman whom he said was on the train going on to Wilmington, and whom he said had the pistol on her person, fired the shots that killed the Freeman woman and wounded a man named Julius. The Dillon officials came on and took charge of the woman.

The longitudinal stone that the government had placed in the middle of the sidewalk in front of Powell & Powell's store in Whiteville, was yesterday moved by a party who came from Washington City especially to supervise the work. Ever since Marion Butler was in the Senate and had these stones placed, pedestrians have been tripping over this one at night. The people had to petition Congress to get the thing moved from the middle of the pavement.

Several car loads of that cement-gravel arrived this week and the work of finishing up Madison avenue is now going on. This will be a fine driveway when completed, and an automobile line will be put on between Vineland and the court house and make trips every half hour.

Farmers in town today report that the fruit crop has been badly killed by the frost, and with the exception of apples will be a failure in most sections. There will not be any pears and but few peaches. Strawberries have been set back by the cold, but plants are now white with blooms and an abundant crop is promised. Many of our growers will sell through the fruit exchange managed by Mr. Fleming.

Chicago, March 31.—Wage differences between the Illinois Central Railroad and its telegraphers were adjusted today, and the key men win an advance in wages approximating $60 a year. The total increase granted is $79,204 a year.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Advertisements under this head, carrying announcements of candidates for nomination before the primary, are classed as transient, and under the rules of this publication are cash in advance.. Such advertisements will be accepted under no other condition.

FOR COUNCILMAN
FIFTH WARD.
C. C. PARKER
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FOR COUNCILMAN
FOURTH WARD
PARKER QUINCE MOORE
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FOR COUNCILMAN, FIRST WARD.

The undersigned is a candidate for Councilman, First Ward, and would appreciate your support.

W. L. WEST.

mar 21-1m.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Having qualified for the race for Councilman in the First Ward, this is to notify my friends and the public that I am the candidate of no party or faction and if elected will have only the best interests of the city at large at heart.

mar 26-tf. B. C. MOORE.

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Ar. Wilson, A. C. L.		11:00 p. m.
Lv. Wilmington, A.C.L.	5:50am.	*3:25pm
Ar. New Bern, A.C.L.	9:15am	6:50pm
Lv. Goldsboro, N.&S.R.R.	*7:15am	*10:15pm
Lv. New Bern, N.S.R.R.	9:30am	12:30am
Lv. Wilson, N.S.R.R.	*8:20am	*11:20pm
Lv. Wash'gton, N.S.R.R.	10:50am	2:20am
Ar. Norfolk, N.S.R.R.	3:35pm	8:00am

SOUTH BOUND.

Lv. Norfolk, N.S.R.R.	9:00 p. m.
Ar. Goldsboro, N.S.R.R.	6:20 a. m.
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42	48	*Daily.	49	41
*7 00pm	*8 40am	Lv. WILMINGTON Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am
10 05pm	11 43am	Ar. Goldsboro Lv.	2 59pm	6 40am
11 00pm	12 43pm	Ar. Wilson Lv.	1 52pm	5 49am
11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar. Rocky Mount Lv.	12 58pm	5 05am
2 15am	4 55pm	Ar. Weldon Lv.	11 30am	3 25am
4 00am	7 05pm	Ar. Petersburg Lv.	9 13am	1 35am
4 40am	8 00pm	Ar. Richmond Lv.	8 15am	1 00am
8 00am	11 50pm	Ar. Washington Lv.	4 20am	9 40pm
9 16am	1 15am	Ar. Baltimore Lv.	2 50am	8 20pm
11 35am	3 40am	Ar. West Philadelphia Lv.	12 19am	5 44pm
1 31pm	5 40am	Ar. Manhattan Tr. (a) Lv.	9 50pm	3 58pm
1 50pm	6 00am	Ar. NEW YORK (7th Ave. & 32nd St.) Lv.	*9 30pm	*3 38pm

(a)—Connections made at Manhattan Transfer with trains to and from Jersey City and thence with Desbrosses or Cortlandt street ferries and with Hudson River Terminal tubes to and from lower New York City.

(b) Sleeper arriving New York 6.00 A. M., may be occupied until 7.30 A. M.

48 and 49—Pullman parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman service.

42 and 41—Pullman Broiler buffet sleeping cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains with Pullman service.

42	48	*Daily	49	41
*7 00pm	*8 40am	Lv. WILMINGTON Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am
11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar. Rocky Mount Lv.	12 58pm	5 05am
3 30am	1 20pm	Lv. Rocky Mount Ar.	12 55pm	10 35pm
4 13am	2 05pm	Ar. Tarboro Lv.	12 18pm	9 58pm
8 00am	5 55pm	Ar. NORFOLK Lv.	*8 15am	*620pm

42 and 41—Pullman Broiler buffet sleeping cars Wilmington and Norfolk.
42 and 49—Pullman Parlor and Dining car, Wilmington and Norfolk.

55	51	*Daily	50	54
*3 15pm	*5 45am	Lv. WILMINGTON Ar.	11 40pm	1 40pm
7 25pm	9 30am	Ar. Florence Lv.	8 00pm	9 30am
11 20pm	12 50pm	Ar. Charleston Lv.	4 37pm	5 25am
2 25am	3 25pm	Ar. Savannah Lv.	12 05pm	12 25am
11 55am	2 20am	Ar. Albany Lv.	1 25am	1 55pm
9 40am	1 45am	Ar. Thomasville Lv.	2 05am	2 05pm
5 50pm	8 50am	Ar. Montgomery Lv.	6 50pm	6 05am
7 15am	8 00pm	Ar. JACKSONVILLE Lv.	7 30am	7 55pm
2 05pm	2 16am	Ar. Sanford, Fla. Lv.	1 35am	2 55pm
7 00pm	7 00am	Ar. TAMPA Lv.	9 00pm	10 30am
9 10pm	8 20am	Ar. ST PETERSBURG Lv.	8 05pm	6 30am
10 20pm	1 05pm	Ar. FORT MYERS Lv.	*3 00pm	*6 45am

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55	51	*Daily	32-30	54
*3:15pm	*5 45am	Lv. WILMINGTON Ar.	11 40pm	1 40pm
7 25pm	9 30am	Ar. Florence Lv.	8 00pm	9 30am
9 25pm	11 25am	Ar. Sumter Lv.	5 55pm	7 35am
11 10pm	12 55pm	Ar. COLUMBIA Lv.	4 10pm	8 00am
9 25am		Ar. AUGUSTA Lv.	2 30pm	
11:50pm	1 10pm	Lv. COLUMBIA, Sou Ry Ar	2 30pm	4 40am
5 30am	7 40pm	Ar. Saluda, Sou Ry Lv.	8 45am	10 25pm
6 00am	8 15pm	Ar. Hendersonville, Sou Ry Lv.	8 05am	9 50pm
7 00am	9 15pm	Ar. ASHEVILLE Sou Ry Lv.	7 00am	8 50pm
7 20pm		Ar. Knoxville, Sou Ry Lv.	*1 35am	8 30am
11 05am		Ar. Louisville, Sou Ry Lv.		7 40am
8 00am		Ar. CINCINNATI Q & C Lv.		*8 10pm

51—SLEEPING CAR Wilmington to Columbia

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57	51	55 *Dly	Dly Ex. Sun.	xSun. only	54	50	58
7 30pm	*5 45am	*3 15pm	Lv. WILMINGTON	Ar.	1 40pm	11 50pm	8 30am
9 15pm	7 28am	5 00pm	Ar. CHADBOURN	Lv.	*11 40am	9 58pm	6 25am
10 10pm	11 50am	x5 15pm	Lv. CHADBOURN	Ar.	7 10am	8 00pm	6 15am
11 45pm.	1 30pm	6 45pm	Ar. CONWAY	Lv.	x5 40am	6 30pm	4 30am

59	53	* Daily.	Daily ex Sun	60	52
6 30pm	*8 45am	Lv. WILMINGTON	Ar.	10 15am	8 05pm
9 45pm	11 45am	Ar. Fayetteville	Lv.	7 10am	4 50pm
9 45pm	12 10pm	Lv. Fayetteville	Ar.	6 25am	4 45pm
11 10pm	1 40pm	Ar. SANF. RD.	Lv.	5 00am	*3 30pm

62	64	*Daily	Daily Except Sunday	63	65
*3 25pm	*5 50am	Lv. WILMINGTON	Ar.	12 50pm	8 50pm
5 22pm	7 42am	Ar. Jacksonville, N. C.	Lv.	10 55am	4 55pm
6 44pm	9 05am	Ar. Nor. & Sou. Junction	Lv.	9 25am	3 35pm
6 50pm	9 10am	Ar. NEWBERN, N. C.	Lv.	*9 30am	*3 30pm

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WEEK DAYS.

Leave Front and Princess:	Leave Lumina
6:50 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
8:30	9:15
10:00	10:45
11:30	12:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	1:45
3:00	3:45
4:30	5:15
7:10	7:50
8:30	9:15

SUNDAYS.

8:30 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
9:30	10:15
10:00	10:45
11:30	12:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	1:45
2:00	2:45
and every half hour until	and every half hour until
5:30	5:45
6:10	6:25
7:10	6:50
8:30	7:50
	9:15

WRIGHTSVILLE.

Leave Wilmington, for Wrightsville: Week Days—6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.

Sundays—8:30, 9:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00 and 11:00 P. M.

Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington: Week Days—6:20, 7:30, 7:55, 8:25, 9:25, 10:55 A. M.; 12:25, 1:55, 3:55, 5:25, 6:00, 6:35, 8:00, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 P. M.

Sundays—9:25, 10:25, 10:55 A. M., 12:25, 1:55, 2:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:35, 7:00, 8:00, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 P. M.

GOLF LINKS.

Leave Wilmington for Golf Links: Week Days—6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 4:30, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00.

Leave Golf Links for Wilmington: Week Days—6:35, 7:45, 8:15, 8:45, 9:45, 11:15 A. M.; 12:45, 2:15, 2:45, 4:15, 5:15, 5:55, 6:55, 8:15, 9:45, 10:45, 11:45.

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Lv. Petersburg	11:00 a m	10:40 p m
Lv. Durham	7:00 a m	5:30 p m
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	6:35 p m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p m	7:30 a m
Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p m	8:30 a m

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Saturday, April 1, 1911.

Somebody is sure to break it off in you today.

A fellow who is itching for office is tired scratching for a living.

The man who lives for himself will die for the good of somebody else.

Looks like the political boss may as well acknowledge that he's in the minority just at this time.

A Harvard professor declares that anyone ought to be able to live on 10 cents per day. Some people manage to live on less than that and save 10 cents.

Senator Lorimer might be able to "retain" his seat but it may cause several other seats to become vacant. What one man does often gets other men in the hole.

The Democratic party doesn't owe any man anything. Men owe the Democratic party for what they get out of it and very few have paid so very much on the debt.

A $15,000,000 capital building means that is what it cost—not what it is worth in the eyes of a real estate dealer who might look it over with a view to driving a hard bargain.

With President Taft denying that he was the original Lorimer man, Senators who voted for him to retain his seat in the Senate will have to explain that they were only temporarily Lorimer men.

The drainage projects in eastern North Carolina mean that a half million acres of the best land in the world is to be added to the agricultural area of North Carolina in the next twelve months.

The "recall" is aimed to yank a fellow out of office about the time he begins to think it belongs to him. It is intended to unhorse an official when he insists on doing things his way instead of listening to the demands of the people. The "recall" seems to put the voters right on the trail of the public servants.

If Wilmington belonged to you, what kind of managers would you put in charge of it? You would think a long time about giving the job to just any sort of men. Act accordingly when you vote in the nominating primary at which five councilmen are to be nominated to administer our commission form of government.

It will require five men of extraordinary capacity to conduct the big business of our municipal corporation. When you attend the primary election, April 18th, to nominate councilmen who are to administer the affairs of an important city, vote only for such men as you would like to run your business if Wilmington were yours.

After having been divorced several times, the last one so recent that he remembers it, he now declares that never again will he get married. Of course, he might change his mind if somebody starts a matrimonial insurance company. Entirely too much of Nat's time is taken up being the defendant in divorce suits. No wonder he is getting tired.

Says the Washington Post: "'Sometimes th wild theorists help, and again they make more difficult the actual, slow, progressive building of an advancing future,' observes Collier's, smugly. Collier's has frequently thrownlight on the "wild theorists," but what in the world is an 'advancing future?'" Probably Collier's meant the "coming future."

LEGISLATION THAT HURTS.

The millers of North Carolina seem to be up against a hard proposition and are seeking relief from legislation that places upon them considerable restriction and hardship, resulting from what is clearly an unreasonable tax. The cause of the trouble is another "Stamp Act," the like of which always has been unpopular and which in one notable instance made lots of trouble in this country just prior to the Revolutionary War.

From the Greensboro Telegram we learn that at the annual meeting of the North Carolina Millers' Association in Greensboro, Wednesday evening in the parlors of the McAdoo Hotel, a committee composed of leading millers of the State was appointed to take immediate steps to test the constitutionality of a legislaive act which requires samps to be placed upon the packages of all feed products sold throughout the State by North Carolina millers. The millers contend, according to the Telegram, that "the law is illegal, unjust and unconstitutional, and it was enacted for the sole purpose of raising revenue and not for the purpose of protection, as the products are not inspected by government representatives at mills prior to being stamped." Eight millers were appointed on the committee and they will at once take steps to accomplish the purpose for which they were appointed.

The stamp act which affects the milling interests of this State was imposed during the 1909 session of the General Assembly and its provisions require the millers to pay a tax of 20c on each ton of feed-stuff manufactured by them. That tax amounts to many thousands of dollars each year and places the milling interests of the State at a disadvantage in comparison with their competitors. None of the other big milling States have such a tax or any such regulation, and the North Carolina millers declare it to be an unnecessary hardship on one of the large industries of the State.

The millers reasonably contend that if the other industries in the State were so taxed and restricted as the milling industry, it would be a different matter, but they cannot see the justness of singling out their industry for the imposition of a handicap that seriously cripples that branch of manufacturing in the State. The millers further assert that there would be no opposition on their part if the tax were imposed for the purpose of raising funds to insure the prevention of the sale of adulterated food and feed products manufactured either within or without the State. This, however, they protest, is not the case, inasmuch as the products of our mills are never inspected by an agent of the State Department of Agriculture.

The millers think the real object of the stamp act is to raise revenue, and while it does create what is evidently an unreasonable tax, it would appear from the act itself that it is based on a purpose to protect the public from imposition and fraud in the way of adulteration. However, the absurdity of the thing is emphasized by the fact that the stamp act applies only to stock feed while it does not affect food stuffs for human beings. If, however, the intent was to protect the public, the act becomes ridiculous from the fact that the stamps are sold to the millers and they can affix them to any and all kinds of products that never come under the eye of an inspector, who should pass upon the quality or merits of the stuff before it has attached to it a stamp showing that it had been manufactured under the supervising and protecting eye of North Carolina. As it is, the act makes it possible for any manufacturer to lay in a stock of stamps and then put the North Carolina seal on any kind of stuff he pleases. Of course, a miller might lay himself liable to a penalty, but since no State inspector is following up his products his liability in that respect is just about the nearest nothing that a dishonest miller would want.

The act is futile as a protective measure and unreasonable as a tax. It is an unjust tax on industry.

WAR OVER THE TOGA.

In Norfolk Wednesday night Congressman William A. Jones, formally opened his campaign against United States Senator Thomas S. Martin. Of course, Col. Jones is after Senator Martin's seat and naturally enough, after the manner of a politician, he attacked the Senator's record. When a Senator is making a record he is piling up mud with which to be assaulted later, and so Jones started in by knocking Martin's record in a way that shows that what he wants and is after is the Senatorial toga.

Col. Jones was hefty in his remarks and they were positively intended to be uncomplimentary. He challenged Martin to meet him in joint debate before any audience in any part of the State, "to defend his official record." Of course, Senator Martin is placed in the attitude of being the head of the State "machine" and an undesirable citizen who hobnobs with railroads and goes about getting on the wrong side of all kinds of political questions. It is quite evident that Congressman Jones is not stuck on what Senator Martin has been doing all these years and his speech was aimed to convince Virginians that the Senatorial toga is on the wrong shoulders.

Senator Martin was indicted in a speech which simmered and boiled for two hours. Jones talked like an insurgent, for he said: "The overshadowing, predominating issue is whether or not the people shall rule of whether they will submit to be governed by a machine—a corrupt, grasping, debauching machine."

This is the way it has started out in Virginia and we are looking for pretty much the same kind of contest over the Senatorial toga in North Carolina. Congressman Jones declares: "I am in the fight for war and do not intend letting matters rest where they are." The Senatorial toga surely will incite most any of them to war, for somehow or other men think they are "some pumpkins" when they are wearing the blamed thing. Men certainly are willing to make themselves awfully disagreeable when it stays on one set of shoulders like it is glued there.

Of course, we can't all be George Washingtons. The truth would go mighty hard with some people.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The suppression of the near-beer joints will cut out beer, but raw booze we will still have with us.—Durham Herald.

Wilmington's recorder slapped a nine-months road sentence upon a pistol?toting defendant. This kind of work is likely to bring about an early and most desirable reduction in the number of homicides in that vicinity.—Charlotte Observer.

Mr. Taft is said to have had secret reasons for using the troops on the Mexican border but is not yet ready to make public his explanation. As Senor Limantour remarked the last time: "What! another explanation? There have been so many already."—New York World.

Our advice to neighboring cities contemplating the adoption of the commission system is to adopt the primary plan of the Chattanooga charter. The people have a way of entering upon desirable candidates when left to their own judgments. There's nothing like putting an intelligent and self-respecting electorate upon its honor.—Chattanooga Times.

"Be sure and 'keep your shirt on when the Senatorial campaign starts us. None of the candidates will give you a new shirt," is the gratuitous advice the Wilmington, N. C., Star gives the voters in the Tar Heel State. In Virginia we believe the candidates are most generous. And, again, if the North Carolinians have but one shirt, what's the matter with putting it on again after taking it off?—Richmond Virginian.

Conducting a municipal government is just as much a business undertaking as any other large corporate or private enterprise, and to secure efficiency and economy the same systematic organization to conduct the work of the several departments is essential to success. With the citizens and tax-payers acting as stockholders to elect a board of directors, from our best representative citizens, who, in turn, will select three executive officers, after careful study of the duties to be performed and the fitness of available candidates, our city affairs are placed on a business basis that gives promise of economic efficiency. This is essentially what the proposed commission form of government means and will accomplish.—Winston-Salem Sentinel.

"A Lad In Dixie."

A dramatic incident of the American Civil War, showing heroic patriotism of a little boy—Grand Theatre today. **

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NO SIDELINE JOB.

What Kind of Rulesrs Shall We All Choose for Wilmington?

Wilmington, N. C., April 1, 1911.

Editor Star:

Who shall we elect as Councilmen? I think no man should be elected that will not give all his time to the job; it well done, it is a big job, and especially will it take all of the man's time six days each week and sometimes a part of the seventh—this during the fist six months to get started. I think each candidate should let the public know what his ideas are about this work and whether he thinks it should take all his time or whether he looks on it as a drummer's sideline, and expects to put most of his time to running his individual business.

Our people are being educated, and ought to be competent to select the right kind of men to govern, and I think are quite competent, in case they are awake to the situation. But, are they awake and thoroughly aroused to the situation? The government we bring on ourselves by this election, the result or effects of it, will be seen not only on ourselves but on our children's children.

The good or bad deeds we do today never die; the effects live and make environment for good or ill through future ages. We are creatures of association and environment. The people we meet at home and abroad; the books, newspapers and magazines we read, make us what we are. This being so, then the good or bad government we install now will live on and on.

Our people are very much of a speculative people, and think more of making money and that they have no time to spend in electioneering, but good government is a larger thing than money. While we want an economical and well managed business-like government, more than that we want men who have first of all honor and honesty, and men whose parents were honest before them. Next, we want men of capacity, men who have common-sense and know something about the job and what they don't know are willing to learn. Nineteen hundred a year is not too much salary for those kind of men if they put in all their time, whether they are men who have run corporations or other large affairs or not.

Let me beseech you, one and all, to look up the records of the candidates and go to the poles and vote for the men you think will govern best.

Respectfully,

D. L. GORE.

WANTED—MEN.

A community never suffers from worse government than it deserves nor enjoys a better government than it is entitled to.

Every man in this community is in some measure responsible for our present political conditions, and every man in the community will be in some measure responsible for the sort of government that we will have hereafter.

The opportunity is offered for making the government efficient and economical. It is said, that opportunity knocks but once.

The citizen who neglects to do his duty is, by his omission, only in degree worse than those who, having the power, pervert it to private ends or public disrepute. Political virtue is not fulfilled by the desire to do right—performance is an indispensible element.

The disgruntled citizen condones evil, when the duty of the citizen is to fight it.

The conditions in this community do not permit the paying of empty compliments to ambitious candidates. The sagacious busines man does not give employment in the way of compliment. In the problem of government in the way of compliment. In the problem of government the voters, being taxpayers, are business men, and as such should use the same judgment in selecting public employes as they do in selecting employes for their private affairs.

This is one occasion when the office should seek the man.

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erected on a weak foundation is likely to cause trouble, in the same way it may be said that a suit of clothes made out of a part cotton fabric is sure to give unsatisfactory wear. That is the reason why only all wool fabrics are used in making

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END OF PANAMA LIBEL.

Action Brought by Roosevelt and Others Nol Prossed.

Washington, March 31.—The curtain was rung down today on the celebrated Panama libel suit against the Press Publishing Company, proprietor of the New York World, and Delaven Smith, publisher of the Indianapolis News, when United States Attorney Wilson requested permission of Justice Wright in criminal court, to enter a nolle pros.

The United States Supreme Court had decided the case in favor of the defendants.

The indictments nolle prossed today charged that the newspapers libeled President Taft, former President Roosevelt, Chas. P. Taft and William Nelson Cromwell, when they published a statement that in the purchase of the Panama canal $40,000,000 had been made by the syndicate which bought it from the French owners and transferred the property to the United States.

INDESCRIBABLE SUFFERINGS

Dumb Chills, and Other Serious Symptoms, Complicated the Illness of Miss Rutherford, Formerly of Atlanta.

Douglasville, Tex.—"Five years ago, I was caught in a rain at the wrong time," writes Edna Rutherford, of Douglasville, Tex., "and from that time was taken with dumb chills and fevers and suffered more than I can tell.

"I tried all the medicines that I thought would do me any good, and four different doctors, but got no relief, so I began to take Cardui.

"I have now taken six bottles of Cardui and am wonderfully improved. I feel better than I have in many months and am thankful to your wonderful medicine."

There is a reason why Cardui is so exceptionally successful in relieving women's troubles, after other medicines fail, and that is, that it cantains rare herbal ingredients, which have to be imported especially from Europe and which by their specific action on the womanly organs, help to strengthen and restore them to health.

Cardui is more successful than other medicines because it is "different." It is in a class by itself. It is not a cure all, but a woman's medicine, a tonic for weak women.

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BIG FRAUD IN NAVAL STORES

Scheme of Producers in This Section Disclosed in Foreign Shipment —Over 600 Barrels Rosin Almost Worthless.

A palpable fraud by certain producers of naval stores in this section was recently disclosed in a large shipment of rosin to foreign markets from this port, the disclosure meaning a loss of several thousand dollars to the American Naval Stores Company, which will be forced to make good the worthless product received by the consignees.

In a shipment of 12,000 barrels of rosin on the British steamer Cluden, which cleared this port last November with naval stores, it was discovered by the receivers of the cargo in London and Bristol that over 600 barrels were filled with dross and trash in the center, in a way which could not be detected by the original purchasers here under the usual form of inspection.

It is customary when rosin is delivered at the yards of the American Naval Stores Co., across the river from the foot of Market street, to open the ends of each barrel to test the value of the product, but the sharp practice of the producer or consignor, hitherto unheard of, in placing the dross and trash in the center of the barrels was not detected by the purchasers.

Since the fraud has been disclosed a rigid inspection of all the rosins received here has been made and some has been found in a like conuition, but nothing like as much as that in the shipment to the foreign markets. Each barrel of rosin bears the mark of the producer and there is some probability that the guilty parties will be apprehended and made to answer for the offense.

The high value of rosin, which was selling at about $6.50 a barrel at the time of the frauds, is believed to have been tempting to the producers. Rosin is now selling on the local market for $7.80 per barrel.

The American Naval Stores Co., is making a complete investigation of the affair and developments may be expected. Not only is a big loss sustained by the navl stores company, but the port of Wilmington is given a bad record, as far as naval stores are concerned, in foreign markets.

According to naval stores men consulted yesterday the frauds are the first ever known of this kind. It will be recalled that on a number of occasions spirits has been adulterated by producers, but this is a different class of fraud and is more difficult to detect. At present there are 12,000 barrels of rosin on the yards of the company, but this has all been inspected rigidly to avoid the consequences of like frauds in the future. The rosin on the tops and bottoms of the barrels in which the fraud was discovered, was good and passed inspection, only about one-third of the barrels in the center being worthless.

The investigation has not advanced sufficiently to determine what will be the outcome, but the shippers are guilty of a criminal offense, and if evidence can be secured, steps for the prosecution will be taken.

A Warning to Producers.

The following warning to producers was recently sent out by the Chamber of Commerce:

At a meeting of the Naval Stores Committee of the Chamber of Commerce held this day the secretary was instructed to send out the following letter to the naval stores producers of this section:

"A number of complaints have been made during the past several months by buyers of Wilmington rosin that quite a proportion is false packed, i.e., dross, trash and sweepings have been put in the middle of barrels with good rosin at each end, clearly showing intent to defraud.

"An examination of the rosin stock now in Wilmington fully justifies these claims, and the dealers of naval stores in Wilmington have determined to break up this practice and steps will be taken to prosecute the guilty parties for fraud to the full extent of the law.

"At the present good prices of rosin, which are nearly equal to the price of flour and sugar, the buyers and manufacturers are entitled to pure and clean rosin and we strongly recommend every producer to exercise great care that his rosin is absolutely up to the standard and free from dross and dirt.

"The greatly increased value of the article also causes consumers to be more particular than in the past as to what they are getting as regards weight and tare as well as quality.

"We therefore suggest that the producer give more attention to the package in which he ships his rosin, being careful not to use heads more than one and one-quarter inches or staves more than one inch in thickness, the heads tightly secured, thereby causing less likelihood of claims for short weight or excessive tare."

J. A. McGEACHY, Secretary.

BUILDING PERMITS.

Several Issued From Office of Building Inspector Recently.

During the past few days building permits have been issued from the office of Building Inspector H. E. Bonits as follows:

W. M. Atkinson, two-story, nine-room residence on Third, between Grace and Walnut; estimated cost, $5,000; Rogers & Thomas contractors.

W. C. Moore, two-story, six-room residence on Campbell, between Third and Fourth streets; estimated cost, $2,000.

Wm. Sheehan, two-story, 10-room house on Chesnut, between Eighth and Ninth; estimated cost, $2,300.

D. L. T. Capps, two-story, six-room house on Fifth, between Nun and Church; estimated cast, $2,000.

F. H. Krahnke, three one-story houses on Dawson, near 12th street; total estimated cost of three, $975.

Saturday Night.

All deposits made with the People's Savings Bank will draw interest from April 1st. **

Registration books open at polling places today. See that your name is written there. **

STRIPPED BOAT OF BRASS

Randolph Williamson, Wayward Youth, Again in Toils of Law, This Time for Stealing Brass From Launch.

Randolph Williamson, a wayward white youth, with decided criminal tendencies, who has committed a number of thefts and has been implicated in house robberies, and who escaped from the Jackson Training School at Concord some months ago, after being there for only a short period of his four years' sentence from Superior Court, is again in the toils of the law, being arrested yesterday afternoon for stealing brass from a gasoline launch of Mr. George Penny.

His pal, Daniel Garrett, about 17 years old, was arrested in the day for complicity in the robbery and both are in the county jail awaiting hearing. Wednesday night two persons, ons of whom was recognized by several boatmen on the river as Randolph Williamson, went aboard the launch and with the use of a hatchet stripped the craft of all the brass and other metal, going so far as to tear up the spark coil, which cost $35, and which cannot again be used. The boat was so badly damaged that it will take a considerable amount to put it in condition for service. An officer was immediately notified of the work of the boys, but when he arrived the damage had already been done and the boys had departed with the brass they had secured from the craft. Officer J. J. Moore, who has done some splendid detective work during the past few months, went to work on the case, with the result that the stolen property has been located and the youths alleged to have committed the crime have been arrested and are in jail.

The metal taken from the boat which the boys thought would have no market value, was thrown away at foot of Dawson street, being found by Officer Moore yesterday. Mr. Moore then informed Mr. Penny of the finding of a portion of the property taken from the boat and the officer went with him to the Recorder's office to secure a warrant for Williamson, which was issued by Justice Harriss. Williamson was arrested at 1 o'clock at Front and Dawson streets and was first taken to police headquarters, but later transferred to the county jail under commitment of Justice Harriss.

A warrant was also issued for Daniel Garrett and was placed in the hands of Constable Savage for service. While the constable was searching the city for Garret, the young man went to police headquarters to inquire about his pal, when he was placed under arrest by Officer Moore, to whom the youth made a confession and told where the other portion of the stolen property could be found—at a junk shop, where it had been sold for the paltry sum of 25 cents. Garret was also committed to jail and the hearing will probably be held some time today before Justice Harriss. An eight-day clock was among the things stolen from the boat and this was found yesterday afternoon at the home of Williamson by Constable Savage.

MR. J. G. KENSETT PROMOTED.

Becomes Traveling Freight Agent of A. C. L., Headquarters Greenville.

An official circular from the office of Mr. J. W. Perrin, General Freight Agent of the First Division of the Atlantic Coast Line, approved by Mr. R. A. Brand, Freight Traffic Manager, announces the appointment of Mr. J. G. Kensett, chief of the tariff bureau in the general offices of the company in this city, as traveling freight agent of the company, effective April 1st, with headquarters at Greenville, S. C., vice Mr. W. A. Cooper, resigned, to accept a position with the Carolina Despatch. Mr. Kensett left last night for Norfolk to visit his parents before assuming his new duties.

Mr. Kensett came to Wilmington from Virginia four or five years ago and was one of the most efficient men in the traffic department of the road. His promotion will be gratifying news to hundreds of warm personal friends, who will mingle their rejoicings at his good fortune with exceeding regret that he is to make his home elsewhere. His successor here has not yet been named. Mr. Kensett was held in the highest esteem especially by those associated with him in the office and as a testimonial of their friendship and congratulation upon his promotion on Thursday afternoon, fellow employes in the traffic offices presented to the retiring chief a handsome diamond pin and cuff button set. The presentation was made by Mr. Robert N. Nash and the acceptance by Mr. Kensett was full of feeling and appreciation not only for the gift but for the motives that prompted it.

Splendid Season for Shad.

Sanford Express: "The shad season is here, and the fishermen along the Cape Fear river in Lee, Harnett and Cumberland, as well as lower down, are busily engaged catching the finny tribe. The 'crop' of shad in the Cape Fear seems to be unusually large this Spring and tremendous catches near Wilmignton are reported. The Sanford market has been well supplied with them for two or three weeks. As soon as the weather is warmer camping parties will be off from Sanford to the banks of the Cape Fear and other streams. These fishermen usually carry along a good cook and go prepared to protect themselves against the snakes."

Saved His Mother's Life.

"Four doctors had given me up," writes Mrs. Laura Gaines, of Avoca, La., "and my children and all my friends were looking for me to die, when my son insisted that I use Electric Bitters. I did so, and they have done me a world of good. I will always praise them." Electric Bitters is a priceless blessing to women troubled with fainting and dizzy spells, backache, headache, weakness, debility, constipation or kidney disorders. Use them and gain new health, strength and vigor. They're guaranteed to satisfy or money refunded. Only 50c at R. R. Bellamy's.

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GAME RAN FOR 16 INNINGS

Neither Kinston Nor Wilmington Able to Break Tie Score of Two and Two—Another Game This Afternoon.

Probably the finest exhibition of amateur baseball ever seen at League Park was that yesterday afternoon between Wilmington and Kinston High Schools, the game running for 16 innings without either side being able to break the tie score of two to two rolled up earlier in the contest. At the end of the 16th inning the game was called on account of darkness and rapidly lowering of the temperature.

Upwards of 200 enthusiastic fans and fannabelles journeyed to the park to witness the first contest of the season and which marked the opening of the baseball season for the Wilmington High School, which promises even higher grade of ball than the organization gave last year. Rooters were on hand in great numbers and they had plenty of opportunity for the exercise of their lungs, for a number of splendid plays were made by players on both sides. Blue was on the slab for the locals and he pitched a fine game, striking out 16 and allowing only four hits. Burnett, R., captain of the team, played star ball, getting three hits and playing well his position, and Taylor also played fine ball for the locals. For the visitors Fleming, Hawkins and Jones starred.

Neither side was able to get a man around the bases until the fifth inning, when Wilmington got two runs. R. Burnett hit to left and went to second on throw-in, and on single to center by Taylor, McKoy and Burnett scored. Try as hard as they would the locals were not able to get another figure on the score board during the contest. Kinston made two runs in the seventh, which ended the scoring for the visitors. Lewis hit to pitcher and went to first, Fleming hit to right field and on bad throw, went to third, while Lewis scored. Fleming managed to cover the home plate before Faulkner went out, pitcher to first.

The Tabulated Score.

Wilmington:	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Alderman, lf	8	0	1	2	0	0
McKoy, cf	8	1	1	1	0	0
Burnett, R., 1-b	8	1	3	2	14	1
Taylor, ss	8	0	1	3	3	0
Shaw, rf	7	0	0	0	0	0
McIntire, 3-b	7	0	0	1	0	1
Burnett, C., c	7	0	0	1	0	0
Blue, p	7	0	0	16	6	0
Stein, 2-b	7	0	0	2	6	1
Total	67	2	6	29	29	5

Kinston:	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Jones, 1-b	6	0	1	1	14	0
Lewis, 3-b	6	1	0	3	2	2
Fleming, p	6	1	1	13	4	2
Hinds, ss	6	0	0	1	3	3
Faulkner, 2-b	6	0	0	3	4	2
Wooten, c	6	0	1	2	1	0
Bizzel, cf	6	0	0	1	1	0
Hawkins, cf	6	0	0	4	0	1
Pittman, rf	6	0	1	1	0	0
Total	54	2	4	29	29	10

Umpires: Schulken and Kite; time: 2:30; attendance, 200

MRS. MAGGIE MOORE PASSES.

Beloved Wife of Mr. B. C. Moore Died Yesterday Morning.

Hundreds of friends in this city and section will learn with infinite sorrow of the death at the James Walker Memorial Hospital at 5:30 o'clock yesterday morning of Mrs. Maggie Lou Moore, the beloved wife of Mr. B. C. Moore, who will have the tenderest sympathy of the entire community in his sore bereavement. Mrs. Moore had been ill at the institution for the past two weeks and for several days her condition was regarded as alarming, her death not coming altogether unexpected, but the realization of it was a crushing blow to her devoted husband and other relatives and hosts of friends.

Mrs. Moore was before her marriage Miss Maggie Lou Bass, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. R. Bass, of Warsaw, and was 37 years old, the third of last December. She was a woman of rare charms and endeared herself to all within the circle of her acquaintance. Blessed with one of the brightest dispositions, sweet and tender in her ways, she scattered sunshine among all with whom she came in contact. Her devotion to her church was beautiful. She was a member of the Brooklyn Baptist church, where the funeral services will be held at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon, conducted by the pastor, Rev. C. F. Whitlock.

Besides her parents and husband, to whom she was married April 11th, 1900, she is survived by four sisters, Mrs. E. P. Schulken, of this city; Mrs. John Barden, of Warsaw; Mrs. Geo. T. Deans, of Goldsboro, and Mrs. W. H. Atkinson, of Brunswick, Ga., and two brothers, Dr. Chas. D. Bass, of this city, and Mr. Henry M. Bass, of Warsaw. Mr. and Mrs. Bass, parents of Mrs. Moore, have been here several days on account of the critical illness of their daughter and other relatives will arrive today for the funeral.

THE STAGS ARE WINNERS.

Captured Honnet Trophy for 1910 in Basketball Series.

By winning from the Lions in a hotly contested game in the gymnasium of the Boys' Brigade last night the Stags captured the Honnet trophy for the 1910 season and are rated as the champions of the season in the Boys' Brigade basketball circles. The Stags won by the narrow margin of one point, the score being 21 to 20. This gives the Stags both series. They lost only one game during the season. In playing for third place the Kangaroos won from the Seminoles by a score of 25 to 9. Both games were interesting and exciting, especially the one between the Stags and Lions. The games last night closed the basketball season for the Boys' Brigade and thoughts are now turning to baseball. The crowd was large and there was much enthusiasm.

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Registration books open at polling places today. See that your name is written there. **

WILMINGTON LEADS OTHERS

Anticipated Postoffice Department and Reduced Sunday Forces One-Half Two Years Ago—Great Gain Past Year.

Cities and towns throughout the country are considering with no little interest the matter of falling in line with the movement looking to a general suspension of business in the postoffice on Sunday, suggested in a communication sent out by Postmaster General Hitchcock, in order that the clerks and carriers may have at least some rest on the Sabbath, in many offices it being necessary to engage practically the same force on Sundays as on week days.

Anticipating the action of the Department at Washington in this respect, Wilmington's progressive postmaster, Mr. Thos. E. Wallace, two years ago reduced the Sunday force about one-half, both clerks and carriers. Mr. Wallace stated yesterday that there would be no further curtailment of the Sunday service at the Wilmington office, as the number of clerks and carriers now working on Sunday is no greater than is absolutely necessary to handle such mail as must be handled. In a number of cities, following the endorsement of the movement by the Postmaster General, there is now no delivery of mail by carriers on Sunday, either by route or through the carriers' windows, leaving the distribution to be made only through letter boxes which may be rented for the purpose or by special delivery; the general delivery window for the distribution of mail only to transient people is left open, but for a shorter time than heretofore, while the windows of the stamp and registry offices are closed. The matter is left by the Postoffice Department in the discretion of the postmaster, whether he tainks the number of people calling for mail on Sundays justifies the office in continuing the Sunday service without abridgement, or whether the public would be glad to forego receiving mail on this one day in the week in order that the clerks may have the day off for rest or divine worship as they may see fit. Of course, it is necessary, where the rule is adopted, to have a few clerks on duty on Sunday for the collection and despatch of mail and for the distribution in the boxes provided for the purpose of mail for such firms as feel that they cannot go a day without mail and for the delivery of special letters. So, while there would be a reduction in the number of clerks engaged on Sunday, the service is not to be entirely suspended.

As stated, the Sunday hours at the Wilmington postoffice were reduced some two years ago and there was a further reduction some weeks ago, so Wilmington will not have to fall in with the present movement, but rather the movement comes following Wilmington's lead.

Report has reached this city that Charlotte will very likely curtail the Sunday service and Charleston and Columbia, S. C., are also considering the matter, and judging from the afternoon papers the people are favorably impressed with giving the clerks and carriers some rest on Sundays.

It will be of interest to many to know that there are now three substations in Wilmington and one at Delgado, the third station in Wilmington having been opened a few weeks ago at Dr. Harper's drug store at Front and Castle streets, Mr. J. L. Croom's drug store; No. 2, Mr. B. C. Moore's drug store, North Fourth street; No. 3, Dr. Harper's drug store, Front and Castle streets. The sub-station at Delgado is at the mill office, and is served in the morning by the rural carrier going out that road, while in the afternoon the mail is sent direct from the Wilmington office to Delgado.

Receipts for Fiscal Year.

The fiscal year in the Postoffice Department closed last midnight and while the exact figures were not obtainable for this morning's paper, enough is known of the business through the local office during the past year to warrant the statement that it was a record-breaker in the way of receipts, which will be in excess of $114,000. Last year the total receipts of the office were $103,871.27, so the gain this year will be in the neighborhood of $11,000, a most gratifying showing indeed and gives evidence of the fact that Wilmington is certainly forging ahead at a rapid pace. The increase is the greatest in the history of the office. The nearest approach was in 1902 and 1903, when the gain over the preceding year was $9,000. It is interesting to note the increase in business of the local office since 1902. During that year the receipts of the office amounted to a little over $50,000 and in 1903 a little over $60,000.

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Check for $20 for Chinese Famine Sufferers from Chadbourn, N. C.

The Star acknowledges, with the amounts previously acknowledged for the Chinese famine relief fund, a contribution of $20 by two ladies at Chadbourn, N. C., remitted directly to Mrs. E. L. Prince, treasurer of the Wilmington Chapter of the National Red Cross Society. All amounts received by the Star have now been forwarded through the local chapter of the Red Cross and this occasion is taken to thank all who have been so generous in their contributions, which have amounted to more than a hundred dollars.

LaFayette Hotel.

Fayetteville Observer: "Tomorrow the Stonehaven Hotel Company, composed of Messrs. McAden, Saunders and Irwin, will assume charge of the Hotel LaFayette, which they purchased recently from Mr. M. McI. Matthews and Dr. J. V. McGougan for $100,000. Mr. Matthews, who is acknowledged to be one of the best hotel men in the South, and personally popular beyond all others, will rest awhile before thinking about entering business again."

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to return our sincere and heartfelt thanks to the hundreds of sympathizing neighbors and friends, who by their loving deeds of kindness and comforting words, sustained us during this dark hour, as we gave up our dear son Carl to the grim reaper death. We are especially appreciative of the many beautiful floral designs. All that human power could do to alleviate suffering was done. May the Lord spare you such sorrow and bless you all my friends is our heartfelt wish.

MR. AND MRS. W. G. A. OTERSEN AND FAMILY.

Saturday Night.

All deposits made with the People's Savings Bank will draw interest from April 1st. **

SELF-DENIAL WEEK.

Wil Be Observed Next Week by Salvation Army—Special Efforts.

In common with the Salvation Army posts throughout the country, the Wilmington post will observe next week as Self-Denial Week—a week which has been set apart by the organization for self-denial and one in which special effort is made to raise funds for the maintenance and extension of the work. A portion of the contributions received during this period is sent to foreign countries, India and Korea, and the remainder is used in furthering the work in this country. The local post raises every year during this period between $100 and $200.

SALVATION ARMY SERVICES.

Staff Captain and Mrs. Crawford Will Arrive Today at Noon.

Staff Captain and Mrs. Wm. C. Crawford, who are in charge of the young people's work of the Salvation Army in the Atlantic Coast Province, will arrive today at noon from Newbern for a visit to the local post, as guests of Adjutant Williams ,who is in charge of the army work in this city. Captain Crawford will speak at the hall, No. 205 Market street, tonight, using as his subject, "Cutting Out the Truth With a Pen Knife." The public is cordially invited to attend the service. Captain Crawford will conduct several services tomorrow.

A Reliable Medicine—Not a Narcotic.

Mrs. F. Marti, St. Joe, Mich., says: "Our little boy contracted a severe bronchial trouble. I gave him Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and it cured the cough as well as the choking and gagging spells, and he got well in a short time." Robt. R. Bellamy.

"A Lad In Dixie."

A dramatic incident of the American Civil War, showing heroic patriotism of a little boy—Grand Theatre today. **

GUILTY SIMPLE ASSAULT.

Charge of More Serious Offense Against Negro Not Shown.

Alex. Moore, Jr., of Cape Fear township, was given hearing before Justice Harriss yesterday on the charge of attempted criminal assault on a negro girl near Wrightsboro a few day ago. The evidence did not substantiate the charge, but it was shown that the defendant was guilty of simple assault in that he caught hold of the girl and acted in a familiar way toward her. The maximum punishment under the law for laying hands on a woman is $50 fine or 30 days imprisonment, and the full penalty was inflicted by Magistrate Harriss. The negro had not raised the amount of the fine yesterday afternoon and may do time for the county. The defendant was represented by A. J. Marshall, Esq., while Walter P. Gafford, Esq., appeared for the prosecution.

Registration books open at polling places today. See that your name is written there. **

"Riders Of The Plains."

Great Western picture—Grand Theatre today. **

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SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Port Deposit, Md., March 29.—Carlton J. Spear, son of Mr. Herbert W. Spear, of Wilmington, N. C., has returned to the Tome School for Boys, Port Deposit, Md., after a Spring vacation of ten days.

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ENJOYABLE ENTERTAINMENT WAS GIVEN LAST NIGHT.

The Junior Baraca Class of Grace Methodist Church gave a very pleasing and highly enjoyable entertainment in the lecture room of the church last night. The attendance was large and all had a most delightful time. The programme was varied and interesting, being as follows: Overture, High School Orchestra; reading, Miss Gracie Craig; selection, Croom Male Quartette; violin solo, Mr. Wilbur Kirkham; "Song Without Words," Mr. Claude Cooper; piano solo, Mr. Theodore Webb; reading, Miss Blanche Penny; selection, McIntosh Female Octette; selection, High School Orchestra; character son, Master William Penny. Owing to the failure of the weather man to provide suitable weather for a "Spring Opening," the display of millinery and gowns did not take place as advertised. It was announced with regrets that the weather man had given such weather as to make the wearing of new Spring gowns and hats not exactly appropriate. Refreshments were then served, bringing to a close an enjoyable evening.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Lide Williamson has gone to Atlanta, Ga., for a few days' pleasure trip.

—Mr. A. B. Walker, of Linden, N. C., spent yesterday in the city on a business trip.

LOCAL DOTS.

—There was no session of the Recorder's court yesterday for the reason that there were no cases on the docket for trial.

—During March there were issued by the Register of Deeds 30 marriage licenses, 15 to white and 15 to colored couples, which is a decrease of four in comparison with February, when there were 14 issued to white and 29 to colored couples.

—"Coon" Brown, colored, was arrested last night by Patrolman B. W. Jacobs on a warrant charging him with the larceny of a coat from Joseph Berbary, a Syrian. The negro was lodged in the city prison and will be tried today.

—During the month of March the police made 83 arrests, as indicated by the blotter at police headquarters at midnight, a decrease of 21 over the preceding month, and a considerable improvement over March of last year, when there were 161 arrests.

—It was stated last night that Mr. Herbert F. Wilder, the well known real estate dealer, had finally yielded to the wishes of a number of friends to make the race for councilman from the Second Ward and that his formal announcement would be made within the next few days.

—The warrant against Jim Jevins, a young white man, arrested Thursday for forging the name of the Smith Roofing Co., to an order by which he is alleged to have obtained a small quantity of goods from the store of Wm. E. Springer & Co., was yesterday changed to charge larceny. The defendant waived examination in Justice Harriss' court and was bound over to Recorder's court.

W. L. I. VS. Y. M. C. A.

Basketball Game Will Be Played in "Gym" This Evening.

In the gymnasium of the Y. M. C. A. this evening will be played what promises to be one of the fastest and most interesting games of basketball of the season when the strong teams of the Wilmington Light Infantry and Y. M. C. A. will meet for a battle royal. The Y. M. C. A. team which made good in the contest against Charlotte last Saturday night will be evenly divided between the two local teams. H. Hines, who has carried off the laurels in every league game that he has played in this Winter will jump for the ball with Stevens, who did fine work in the game last Saturday night. E. Hines, R. Grant, O. Fillyaw and D. W. Loring will play for the W. L. I. Bryan Newkirk, the first team's fastest man with J. V. Grainger, Jr., W. H. Andrews and Robt. Houston will work for the Y. M. C. A.

Last year the Y. M. C. A. team defeated the military boys by one point and they say they can do as well or better this year, while the other team will go into the contest prepared to turn the tables their way. The admission will be 25 cents; Juniors 10 cents. The game will start promptly at 8:30 o'clock. A preliminary game has been arranged between two Junior teams.

MR. W. A. TENER COMING.

Prominent Y. M. C. A. Worker Will Visit Local Associations.

Mr. W. A. Tener, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Manila, Philippine Islands, has accepted an invitation to visit the Wilmington association at an early date and deliver an address on the work of the associations of this country are doing in other lands to better the conditions in which young men and boys live. He comes here at the invitation of the foreign work committee and arrangements for his visit are now being made. Mr. Tener is an excellent speaker and an enthusiastic Y. M. C. A. man and the association feels it is fortunate in securing his acceptance of the invitation.

One Conductor Helped Back to Work

Mr. Wilford Adams is his name, and he writes: "I was confined to my bed with chronic rheumatism and used two bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy with good effect, and the third bottle put be on my feet." It clears the blood of uric acid. Robt. R. Bellamy.

Old and Strong.

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WRIGHTSBORO UNION SCHOOL

Closing Exercises Held at School House on Castle Haynes Road Last Night—Address by Rev. J. S. Crowley.

Marking the close of a most successful school year, appropriate exercises were held last night at Wrightsboro Union School, on the Castle Haynes road, a few miles from the city. The attendance of the patrons and friends of the school was large, some not even being able to secure standing room inside the building. The exercises were of a most pleasing nature.

Mr. Andrew J. Howell, assistant to the pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, was present, and he was requested to take charge and act as master of ceremonies. The children rendered a splendid programme and each acquitted himself or herself with much credit, reflecting the careful training which they received from their beloved teacher, Miss Ila Futch.

The children taking part in the exercises, consisting of songs and recitations, were little Misses Elizabeth Blossom, Eva Ship, R. King, Bula Brown, Josie King, Bertie Chadwick, Jeanie Chadwick, Ruth King, and Masters Alfred Ship, Lawrence Swinson, Norwood Vann and Herbert King.

Following the exercises by the children, Mr. Howell presented on behalf of the teacher mementoes to the pupils who had made fine marks during the year, and in turn he presented to Miss Futch, the teacher, a handsome watch fob, a gift of the children. After prayer by Rev. J. M. Plowden, Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian Church, the speaker of the occasion, was presented.

By request, Mr. Crowley made an address in which he told interestingly of the characteristics and customs of the people of Africa, and also exhibited a number of curios from that country. Mr Crowley is especially well qualified to speak on this subject, having spent four years in Africa as a missionary from the Presbyterian Church. He made a most interesting address and his discourse was heard with great pleasure by all present.

ANNUAL MEETING POST G., T. P. A.

Held in Rooms of Chamber of Commerce Last Night—Much Enthusiasm—Officers and Committees for the Year.

Enthusiasm was high at the annual meeting of Post G, Travelers' Protective Association, held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce last night with a fairly large attendance of the membership. Several very interesting talks were made about things in general and some matters of special interest and importance to the travelers were discussed.

The meeting was presided over by Mr. Carl B. Rehder, the retiring president, and Mr. I. W. Cooper, secretary and treasurer, was at his post. The reports of the officers for the past year were received and made a splendid showing for the local post. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

President—D. L. Blue.

First vice president—F. E. Hashagen.

Second vice president—W. R. Newberry.

Secretary and treasurer—I. W. Cooper.

The following were chosen as the board of directors: C. B. Reader, J. S. Funchess, T. D. Love, F. E. Hashagen and N. G. Duncan.

President Blue appointed the chairman of the various committees for the year as follows: Railroad, T. D. Love; press, J. S. Funchess; hotel, N. G. Duncan; legislative, W. B. Cooper; employment, J. W. Freeman; sick and relief, C. O. McNair; good roads, W. R. Newberry; physician, Dr. D. W. Bulluck; chaplain, Rev. G. T. Adams.

Messrs. Carl B. Rehder, J. S. Funchess, D. L. Blue and I. W. Cooper were elected delegates to the annual State convention of the association which will be held in Raleigh some time during the month of April.

The meeting adjourned about 11 o'clock and the members repaired to Gieschen's cafe, where they enjoyed an oyster supper. The next meeting will be held the first Saturday night in May.

Heavy Fertilizer Shipment.

The Lumberton Robesonian of Thursday says: "From the empty fertilizer cars being carried over the Seaboard to Wilmington for the last few days there must be a great increase in the amount of guano used this year. Agent Beverly says that the longest string of empties that was ever pulled over this branch of the Seaboard went through last night. The number was 55, and he says that the greatest number of empties ever pulled before at one time was 45; and this morning a train of 50 empties had to clear the main line here to let the morning passenger train pass. The string of empties would not hold them, so they were pulled down to the Raleigh & Charleston track and the engine was down near the trestle at the Kingsdale mill when the last car cleared the main line at the Seaboard station.

Seven to Nine.

On Saturday night the People's Savings Bank is open for your convenience. Deposit your money there tonight. **

DIED.

MOORE—In this city, Friday, March 31st, 1911, at 5:30 A. M., MAGGIE LOU MOORE, beloved wife of Bernice C. Moore, aged 37 years.

Funeral this (Saturday) afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from Brooklyn Baptist church; interment in Oakdale cemetery. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

..Theatrical..

Next week the Academy will offer quite a theatrical sensation in the special engagement of Miss Ruth Grey, known as "The Woman Wonderful.' She will make her first appearance Monday night and seats for this performance went on sale at Plummer's this morning. Miss Grey is a woman of marvelous powers and is causing a big stir in Charleston the present week. Her work is especially pleasing to the ladies and so, for their benefit solely, several matinees have been arranged. These matinees will be given Wdnesday and Friday afternoons and will be strictly for ladies only.

Miss Grey has received lengthy press notices from Southern cities and before coming South she created a sensation in the West, as the following notice from the Omaha Bee will show:

"Love and domestic affairs and the hundred and one things bearing upon the audience, and she answered at least three-fourths of them to the amusement and to the complete mystification of all. Sitting bindfolded on the stage with no one near her. Miss Grey called out questions, never making a mistake, at the same time calling out the name of the person who propounded the query. Her answer was always "pat" and never failed to elicit a round of applause. She touched upon business, these subjects she gave advice in each instance as one entirely familiar with each individual case that she discoursed upon.

'Not a few of Omaha's well-konwn society people were in the audience and they entered into the spirit of the occasion with a surprising zest. It was easy to see that many of them were skeptical in regard to Miss Grey's powers. They did their best to trip her up, but in every instance they failed as she called their questions without the least hesitation, and gave replies that set them to applauding in the very liveliest manner. Three or four persons who came late pulled leaves out of books and wrote questions with the evident purpose of making it as difficult as possible for Miss Grey to answer them. But she amazed each of them calling out the queries and answering each as though she knew all about the details. It would be impossible to go into detail and describe Miss Grey's work.'

Coming to the Crystal Palace.

Manager Peiffer announces that he has been successful in securing for his theatre next week the world-famous miracle painting, "The Shadow of the Cross." The painting will no doubt create a furore among the art loving people of Wilmington. Seen in the light, the painting reveals an impressive painting of the Christ. When the lights are turned off the most amazing phenomenon appears. Christ appears to be walking in pale moonlight while above and behind him appears a cross. Mr. Peiffer is to be congratulated in securing such an attraction to offer his patrons. Madam Wanda closes her engagement today, appearing at the 3:30 matinee and the evening performances, beginning promptly at 7:45 o'clock.

Grand Theatre.

Now altogether for the greatest, finest and biggest motion picture ever presented in the city of Wilmington. Adjectives cannot begin to describe the magnitude of this wonderful collection of pictures. Each one of the three would be a big feature picture on any bill presented in 99 per cent. of the motion picture houses in this country. "A Little Lad in Dixie," is the title of the first one that calls for special mention. This picture is very dramatic in nature and tells a story of the American Civil War in which a child displays heroic patriotism. This is positively the greatest war picture ever made and should be seen by every boy in the city. "Riders of the Plains," is one of the late Edison productions and shows some dare-devil riding. These pictures always please the children, and today will bring out many to see this picture. And then comes the comedy sensation of the year, "The Widow Visits Sprigtown." This picture is full of screams introducing again the ever popular Mr. John Bunny, the famous avoirdupois comedian, who has made thousands laugh. Mr. Henry will sing a new song and the orchestra will play special effects for "A Lad in Dixie." The Grand is an ideal place to rest and see a great show.

Bijou.

The Bijou today will present one of the greatest moving picture bills ever seen in Wilmington. This particular bill will include a great film that was placed on the market only Thursday of this week, one of the first copies being rushed to Wilmington to the Bijou. This great film is entitled "1861", and, as its name implies, deals with the Civil War. It is stirring with the smoke of battle and the flash of brass buttons, while through it runs a tender love story. The second big feature film is "The Spanish Gypsy." This shows the habits of the Spanish Gypsy and will be really enlightening in view of the fact that the Gypsies have figured extensively in North Carolina of late and a big band of them is now encamped in the southern part of the city. Of course, the fun will not be neglected in today's bill, and one of the very best comedy films will be offered. Mr. Frank Banks has a new illustrated song, one of the brightest and merriest in "Dear Old Tennessee."

Joyland.

As usual, the management of Joyland has provided grandly for the large Saturday crowds that visit Joyland while down town shopping, and has a bill on that if possible, rivals anything heretofore at this popular theatre. The programme includes a high-class drama, followed by a comedy drama, after which comes 1,000 feet of solid comedy. The titles are, "The Redeeming Angel," dramatic; "Strategy," comedy-drama; "The Big Joke," a screaming comedy. Mr. Reilly will sing the big hit, "Love Me With Your Big Blue Eyes."

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PHILADELPHIA, PENNA.

Progress on Southport Railroad.

Splendid progress is now being made on the work of grading the Wilmington, Brunswick & Southport railroad and in a short time it is hoped to have trains running into Southport. The grading force working out from Bolivia will reach Goresville, the next station, some time next week. The station is named in honor of Mr. D. L. Gore, of this city, who is one of the largest land owners in the county, and through whose property the road passes for much of the distance.

ANOTHER ARREST AT WELDON.

Virginia Man at Work on Construction Force Taken in Charge.

Weldon, N. C., March 31.—Frank Simpson, of Tazewell court house, Va., was arrested here today and held under $500 bond for the next term of court as the result of an investigation of the recent death of George Jones, an old citizen, said to be inoffensive. Simpson, who is employed with a railroad bridge construction force, figured in the evidence. Thursday when the circumstances surrounding the death of Jones were examined into, Chief of Police Dickens and his brothr, Policeman Lonny Dickens, were arrested and held Thursday on the charge of assaulting Jones.

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SHOOTING AT HARVARD.

One Waiter Shot Another in Dining Hall of College.

Cambridge, Mass., March 31.—Three Cambridge police officers arrested Charles Roachford, a negro waiter at Memorial Hall, Harvard University, just as several hundred infuriated Harvard students caught the colored man a mile from the college grounds after he had shot and probably fatally wounded another negro waiter, Heath Hughes, in the dining hall at the college this afternoon.

Norfolk, Va., March 31.—Private advices today tell of the serious illness in the Philippine Islands of Major Geo. E. Pickett, U. S. A., son of Gen. Pickett, who made the famous charge of the Confederates at Gettysburg in the Civil War.

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Registration books open at polling places today. See that your name is written there. **

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcement by Wilmington Pastors For Services Tomorrow.

Immanuel Presbyterian—Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. by the pastor, Rev. J. S. Crowley. Sunday School at 3:30 P. M.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, corner of Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex D. McClure, D. D., pastor. Sabbath services 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sabbath school at 3:30 P. M., W. C. E. Society at 7:15 P. M. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8 P. M. The communion at morning service. The public cordially invited. Seats free.

First Presbyterian church, corner Third and Orange streets, Rev. John M. Wells, D. D., pastor.—Services tomorrow, Sunday, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M., with preaching by the pastor. Sunday school at 3:30 P. M. and Christian Endeavor at 7:20 P. M. Mid-week prayer service on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Religious services will be conducted at the Seamen's Bethel tomorrow afternoon at 3:15 o'clock, by the chaplain. Rivermen and seamen are especially invited. All are welcome.

The Sabbath evening service at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church will begin at 8 o'clock.

Pensacola, Fla., March 31.—There was no interference by persons opposed to betting at the opening today of the 15-day race meet, but the attendance was small. The betting was light, due to the recent agitation against the race meet.

Old and Strong.

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CITY ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that there will be a general election in the City of Wilmington, Monday, May 1st, 1911, for the election of five Councilmen, as provided for in an Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, session of 1911, entitled "An Act to Amend the Charter of the City of Wilmington." The polling place and the election officers for the said election shall be as follows:

First Ward.

Precinct No. 1—Engine House, Fourth and Campbell streets. Wm. Sheehan, Registrar; P. J. Breen and Geo. M. Grant, Judges of Election.

Precinct No. 2.—J. W. Kerr's Store, Fourth and Harnett streets. J. W. Kerr, Registrar; R. L. Clements and L. A. Watkins, Judges of Election.

Second Ward.

Woolvin Building, Princess Street.—W. W. Hodges, Registrar; W. J. Meredith and Henry Gieschen, Judges of Election.

Third Ward.

Giblem Lodge, Eighth and Princess streets. A. G. Hankins, Registrar; J. O. Powers and B. W. Morrill, Judges of Election.

Fourth Ward.

W. P. Oldham's Store, Dock street bet. Front and Second streets. Roger Kingsbury, Registrar; S. Siegler and T. G. Pickett, Judges of Election.

Fifth Ward.

Precinct No. 1, Eugine House, Sixth and Castle streets. Geo. W. Irving, Registrar; Jas. Weinberg and W. M. Creasy, Judges of Election.

Precinct No. 2, Market House, Fifth and Castle streets. Geo. Parker, Registrar; Fred Westerman and R. A. Burnett, Judges of Election.

Registration books will open Saturday, April 15th, 1911, and remain open for eight days.

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T. D. Meares, Jr., Secretary.
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DOWNWARD TREND FOR COTTON

Renewal of July Selling Resulted in Sharp Decline in the Market. Slight Rally During Closing Hours.

New York, March 31.—There was a renewal of the July selling in the cotton market today and while fluctuations were more or less irregular the trend was downward and the close was steady, at a net decline of 8@14 points.

The market opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 2 points on a renewal of yesterday's late covering movement, and is in sympathy with steady showing of the Liverpool market, but leading bull brokers appeared as sellers of July again on the initial advance and the market soon weakened. After selling off to a net decline of about 6@11 points under the July liquidation and local bear pressure, prices rallied to within 2 or 3 points of last night's closing figures on covering, and prospects for bullish week-end figures, but there was no sign of bull support and prices weakened again in the afternoon under renewed liquidation and still more aggressive selling by local bears, who were encouraged by large orders into sight figures than anticipated. The close was at the lowest of the day; although steady in tone during the last two or three minutes. New crop positions were again relatively quiet and steady, and seemed to be receiving some support from trade interests. Private cables attributed the steady showing of Liverpool to favorable trade conditions in Machester, and a good demand from the continent for both spots and futures. Receipts at the ports today, 21,215 bales, against 7,298 last week and 7,-889 last year. For the week, 60,000 bales, against 49,618 last week, and 93,147 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 2,916 bales, against 1,620 last year, and at Houston, 2,634 bales, against 1,028 last year.

Spot closed quiet, five points lower; middling uplands, 14.40; middling gulf, 14.65; sales, 1,900 bales.

Futures opened steady and closed steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
March		14.33	14.25	....
April	14.31	14.31	14.25	14.18
May	14.43	14.44	14.29	14.29
June	....	....	....	14.04
July	14.14	14.16	14.02	14.02
August	13.68	13.68	13.53	13.55
September	13.00	12.99	12.90	12.91
October	12.65	12.65	12.55	12.54
November	....	....	....	12.47
December	12.53	12.53	12.45	12.44
January	12.50	12.50	12.47	12.41

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 14⅝; net receipts, 5,508; gross receipts, 5,598; sales, 825; stock, 87,967; coastwise, 63.

New Orleans—Steady, 14 7-16; net receipts, 2,916; gross receipts, 2,916; sales, 1,325; stock, 108,486.

Mobile—Steady, 14¼; net receipts, 230; gross receipts, 230; sales, 300; stock, 12,188.

Savannah—Quiet and steady, 14¼; net receipts, 941; gross receipts, 941; sales, 425; stock, 53,731; coastwise, 1,077.

Charleston—Nominal; net receipts, 177; gross receipts, 177; sales, 215; stock, 21,266; coastwise, 148.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts, 178; gross receipts, 178; stock, 3,769.

Norfolk—Steady, 14½; net receipts, 251; gross receipts, 251; sales, 237; stock, 14,-975; coastwise, 1,268.

Baltimore—Nominal, 14⅜; net receipts, 1,014; gross receipts, 1,014; stock, 4,069.

New York—Quiet, 14.40; net receipts, 288; gross receipts, 1,387; sales, 1,900; stock, 208,223; continent, 646; coastwise, 1,097; Japan, 208.

Boston—Quiet, 14.40; net receipts, 79; gross receipts, 608; stock, 7,730; Great Britain, 84.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 14.65; gross receipts, 3,107; stock, 2,175.

Brunswick—Stock, 2,915; coastwise, 54.

Gulfport—Stock, 2,149.

Port Arthur—Net receipts, 9,000; gross receipts, 9,000; continent, 9,000.

Texas City—Net receipts, 160; gross receipts, 160; coastwise, 160.

San Francisco—Net receipts, 383; gross receipts, 383; Japan, 383.

Total today at all ports—Net, 21,215; Great Britain, 84; continent, 9,646; Japan, 591; stock, 529,581.

Consolidated at all ports—Net, 60,740; Great Britain, 22,382; France, 8,589; continent, 44,650; Japan, 752.

Total since Sept. 1 at all ports—Net, 7,-937,925; Great Britain, 3,029,877; France, 857,481; continent, 2,558,947; Japan, 139,641; Mexico, 1,725.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Quiet, 14 5-16; net receipts, 2,634; gross receipts, 2,634; shipments, 3,031; sales, 230; stock, 64,637.

Augusta—Steady, 14⅜; net receipts, 142; gross receipts, 172; shipments, 104; sales, 1,488; stock, 47,779.

Memphis—Steady, 14¾; net receipts, 271; gross receipts, 794; shipments, 3,163; sales, 1,300; stock, 143,816.

St. Louis—Dull, 14¾; net receipts, 252; gross receipts, 1,050; shipments, 868; stock, 21,293.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 427; gross receipts, 427; shipments, 336; stock, 20,268.

Little Rock—Quiet, 14¼; net receipts, 183; gross receipts, 183; shipments, 624; stock, 24,683.

Louisville—Firm, 14⅝; net receipts, 295; gross receipts, 295; shipments, 6; sales, 200; stock, 200.

Total today—Net receipts, 4,204; gross receipts, 5,555; shipments, 8,208; sales, 3,227; stock, 322,670.

NO LIVERPOOL SUPPORT.

Tendency in Cotton Market Yesterday Was Downward.

(Special Star Telegram.)

New York, March 31.—The tendency today has been downward, because of the absence of support from Liverpool, which did not respond to the improvement here yesterday. Those who had expected an advance on the bullish statistics at the end of the week were disappointed at the appearance of 9,000 bales at Port Arthur. Many were of the impression that until there was some change for the better in trade conditions, no support could be expected from outside buyers, and this feeling led to the liquidation of several large lines recently bought on the idea that the strong position would bring a demand from the foreign shorts. Liverpool is expected to be three to four points lower in the morning.

HUBBARD BROS. & CO.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot, Good Business—Prices, Four Points Higher.

Liverpool, March 31.—Spot, good business done; prices, four points higher. American middling fair, 8.18; good middling, 7.86; middling, 7.70; low middling, 7.50; good ordinary, 7.24; ordinary, 6.99.

The sales of the day were 12,000 bales, of which 3,000 were for speculation and export and included 11,400 American. Receipts, 12,000 bales, including 11,200 American. Futures opened steady and closed barely steady. April, 743; April and May, 743; May and June, 742; June and July, 738; July and August, 733½; August and September, 711°; September and October, 6.83; October and November, 6.70; November and December, 6.65½; December and January, 6,64½; January and February, 6.64°.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, March 31.—Money on call, steady, at 2¾@2½ per cent.; ruling rate, 2¾; closing bid, 2¾; offered at 2½. Time loans, dull and firm; sixty days, 2¾ per cent; ninety days, 2¾@3; six months, 3@3¼. Prime mercantile paper, 4@4¼ per cent.; sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84.15 for sixty-day bills, and at 4.86.05 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.83¾. Bar silver, 52½; Mexican dollars, 45.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, March 31.—The cotton goods markets were steadier for the day. The export trade in cotton goods has reached a volume of 15,000 bales on the present movement. Yarns are quiet and steady. More sales of carpet wools are reported.

MARINE

Arrived.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Sherman, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

Str. C. W. Lyon, Core, Elizabethtown, C. P. Love.

Cleared.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Sherman, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

Str. C. W. Lyon, Core, Elizabethtown, C. P. Love.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Hornsee (Ger.), 1,681 tons, Euler, Heide & Co.

Castle Eden, (Br.), 1,138 tons, Laing, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Fritzoe (Nor.), 2,537 tons, Johanessen, Wilmington Compress & Warehouse Co.

Schooners.

The Josephine, 563 tons, Quillen, C. D. Mafflitt.

Alice L. Pendleton, 567 tons, Coombs, C. D. Mafflitt.

Wm. Thos. Moore, 263 tons, Griffith, C. D. Mafflitt.

Herald, 474 tons, Simmons, C. D. Mafflitt.

Harry W. Haynes, 259 tons, Goodwin, C. D. Mafflitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., March 31.

C. C. Railroad—33 barrels tar.

Atlantic Coast Line—178 bales cotton; 16 barrels resin; 65 barrels tar; 8 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—3 casks spirits turpentine; 33 barrels rosin.

Str. City of Fayetteville—6 barrels tar; 3 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—178 bales cotton; 3 casks spirits turpentine; 49 barrels rosin; 101 barrels tar; 11 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, March 31.—Flour was quiet, with prices easy. Spring patents, 4.75@5.05; winter patents, 4.00@4.40.

Rye Flour—Firm.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Rye—Nominal.

Wheat—Spot, easy. No. 2, red, 91⅞, elevator, and 92⅞c. f.o.b. afloat; futures, 58c. lower; May, 93 15-16; July, 93¾.

Corn—Spot, steady. Export, No. 2, 52¾, f.o.b. afloat; futures, unchanged to ½c. net decline; May, 54½; July, 56.

Oats—Spot, easy. Standard white, 36¼; No. 2, 36⅜; No. 3, 35½; No. 4, 34½; futures, unchanged to ⅛ net lower; May, 35⅝; July, 36.

Lard—Easy. Middle West, 8.45@8.55; refined, easy; continent, 9.00; compound, dull, 7¼@7½.

Cut Meats—Steady.

Cotton Seed Oil—Higher, early, owing to the firmness of the crude markets, but soon declined under renewed liquidation, induced by the weakness of ho qproducts and lack of support. Interests who were buyers of July late yesterday were heavy sellers on the decline today. Futures closed 3@7 points lower. April, 6.27@6.31; May, 6.32@6.33; June, 6.37@6.41; July, 6.43@6.44; August, 6.45@6.46. Prime crude, 53@5.40; prime summer yellow, 6.25@6.32½; do. winter yellow, 6.80@7.10; do. summer white, 6.20@6.40.

Petroleum—Steady.

Wool—Quiet.

Rosin—Steady.

Turpentine—Weak. Machine barrels, 1.07.

Molasses, Rice, Sugar, raw and refined—Steady.

Coffee—Futures, steady. Spot, quiet; Rio, No. 7, 12¼; Santos, No. 4, 13¼. Mild, quiet; Cordova, 15¼@15¾.

Butter—Weak. Creamery, 17@21.

Cheese—Easy.

Eggs—Firmer. Fresh gathered, selected, 15½@18.

Potatoes—Firm. Bermuda, new, per barrel, 5.00@7.50; Florida, 5.00@5.50; Southern late crop, 1.50@2.00; Maine, per bag, 1.75@1.90; State, 1.50@1.60.

Cabbages—Steady. Southern, per crate, 1.25@1.75; red, barrel, 3.00@4.00.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, March 31.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady at $1.01.

Rosin—Market, steady, $7.80 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm, $2.30 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market, firm; $6.00 per barrel, for hard; $8.50 for dip; virgin, $0.25.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, steady at 59¾; rosin, steady, at $3.75; tar, $2.00; crude turpentine, firm at $3.00, $4.50 and $3.75.

Spirits Turpentine	3
Rosin	49
Tar	104
Crude Turpentine	11

Receipts same day last year, 1 cask spirits turpentine; 163 barrels rosin; 373 barrels tar; 7 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—178 bales; same day last year, 541 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, March 25th.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, .90 to $1.00 per bu.; North Carolinas, $1.50@$1.60; Spanish, $1.15@$1.25.

CORN—Firm; .68 to .70 per bu.

PEAS—White black-eye, $2.50; white lady finger, $3.00; clay peas, $2.00 per bu.

POTATOES—Yams, 90 to $1.00 per bu.; Irish potatoes, 80@90 per bu.

BEEF—On foot, .03@.04 per lb.

PORK—Net, .09@.10 per lb.

WOOL—Burry, .12@.15 per lb.; free of burr, .18@.20 per lb.

HIDES—Green, .07 per lb.; dry, .12 per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 16c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12 to 12½ per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; .27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .04½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Turkeys, on foot, 18c. per lb.; dressed, .20@.22 per lb. Chickens, grown, .40@.50 per head; Chickens, spring, .20@.35 per head. Geese, .60 per head.

EGGS—Dull, 16c. per doz.

SHEEP—Out of season.

Petersburg Peanut Market.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., March 27.—Spanish—Firm, at $1.25 per bushel. Virginias—Quiet. Bunch, 4c. to 4¼c. per pound. Fancy Hand Picked, 3½ to 3⅝c. per pound. Extra Prime, 3½ to 3⅝c. Prime, 3c.; Machine Picked, 3¼c. to 3½c.; Shelling Stock, 2½c.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

New York, March 31.—For the week ending Friday, March 31:

Net receipts at all U. S. ports during week, 60,740.

Net receipts at all U. S. ports same week last year, 88,998.

Total receipts since September 1st, 7,-937,925.

Total receipts to same date last year, 6,-423,684.

Exports for the week, 76,382.

Exports for same week last year, 60,262.

Total exports since September 1st, 6,-587,671.

Total exports same date last year, 4,914,-512.

Stock at all United States ports same time last year, 521,870.

Stock at all interior towns, 464,143.

Stock at all interior towns same time last year, 500,843.

Stock at Liverpool, 1,187,000.

Stock at Liverpool same time last year, 837,000.

Stock of American afloat for Great Britain, same time last year, 153,000.

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"The Widow Visits Spriggtown."—Grand Theatre today. **

PROVED FACTOR FOR STOCKS

Fear of Disturbance of Wall Street's Methods Cause of Anxiety to Traders—Based on Washington Reports.

New York, March 31.—Fear of a disturbance by the Federal government of Wall Street's methods of doing business, a familiar bogey of recent years, was resurrected today and as it fitted in with the prevailing disposition of the Street, became a decided market factor.

It was based upon reports that the Attorney General at Washington hoped to obtain passage of legislation which would bring the workings of the so-called money power within the jurisdiction of the Department of Justice. The Attorney General denied that any definite plan was afoot, but the report was utilized effectively, the more so as holders of long stocks were disposed to sell today, and those on the short side to decrease their holdings in accordance with the usual week-end preparation for the Supreme Court's "decision day" on Monday. It is not to be denied that bank money, like other commodities, has of recent years been held in comparatively few hands, and the realization of power in this and other leading cities, interest declined to discuss the matter further than to deny the existence of a monopoly and to declare that unfair or onerous methods are employed by financial institutions. Prices fell with some precipitation in the morning, rallied in the afternoon and in the last hour showed marked weakness again, the close being at the lowest level of the day.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $1,968,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales for the day, 247,400 shares.

THE BOND MARKET.

U. S. ref. 2s, registered	101¼
U. S. ref. 2s, coupon	101¼
U. S. 3s, registered	103⅜
U. S. 3s, coupon	101¼
U. S. 4s, registered	115
U. S. 4s, coupon	115¼
Allis-Chalmers 1st 5s	76½
American Agricultural 5s	101¾
American Tel and Tel cv. 4s	108⅝
American Tobacco 4s	89⅜
American Tobacco 6s	107⅜
Armour and Co. 4½s	92½
Atchison cv. 4s	110
Atchison cv. 5s	111
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	93⅜
Baltimore and Ohio 4s	98⅜
Baltimore and Ohio 3½s	92⅝
Baltimore and Ohio S. W. 3½s	90⅝
Brooklyn Transit cv. 4c	84⅜
Central of Georgia 5s	107⅝
Central Leather 5s	90
Central R. R. of N. J. gen. 5s	122⅜
Chesapeake and Ohio 4½s	100⅜
Chesapeake and Ohio ref. 5s	96⅛
Chicago and Alton 3½s	69
Chicago, B. and Quincy joint 4s	96
Chic., B. and Quincy gen. 4s	96¾
Chicago, Mil. and St. P. gen. 3½s	92
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. R. R. col. 4s	73¾
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry. rfg. 4s	88¾
Colorado Industrial 5s	75
Colorado Midland 4s	64⅜
Colo and Southern ref. and ext. 4½s	98½
Delaware and Hudson cv. 4s	98½
Denver and Rio Grande ref. 5s	92½
Distillers' 5s	78¼
Erie prior lien 4s	85½
Erie gen. 4s	75
Erie cv. 4s, series "A"	78¾
Erie cv. 4s, series "B"	72
Erie cv. 5s	147¼
Illinois Central 1st ref. 4s	96¼
Interborough-Met. 4½s	78¾
Inter Merc. Marine 4½s	65¾
Japan 4s	88⅛
Japan 4½s	93¾
Kansas City Southern 1st 3s	73¼
Lake Shore deb. 4s (1931)	93⅛
Louisville and Nashville Un. 4s	98¼
Missouri, Kan. and Texas gen. 4½s	80½
Missouri Pacific 4s	78⅜
National Rys. of Mexico 4½s	93⅜
New York Central gen. 3½s	88
New York Central deb. 4s	93
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford cv. 6s	133
Norfolk and Western 1st con. 4s	98⅜
Norfolk and Western cv. 4s	108¼
Northern Pacific 3s	70¾
Oregon Short Line rfdg. 4s	94
Penn. C. V. 3½s (1913)	96⅜
Penn con. 4s	103
Reading gen. 4s	97
St. Louis and San Fran fg. 4s	81⅞
St. Louis and San Fran. gen. 5s	87½
St. Louis Southwestern con. 4s	78
St. Louis Southwestern 1st gold 4s	91½
Seaboard Air Line 4s	75⅞
Southern Pacific col. 4s	91⅝
Southern Pacific cv. 4s	98
Southern Pacific R. R. 1st ref. 4s	95
Southern Railway 5s	107
Southern Railway gen. 4s	78⅜
Union Pacific 4s	100⅞
Union Pacific cv. 4s	104⅞
Union Pacific 1st and ref. 4s	96¾
U. S. Rubber 6s	103⅝
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	105½
Virginia-Carolina Chem. 5s	101⅜
Wabash 1st 5s	108½
Wabash 1st and ext. 4s	70
Western Maryland 4s	86⅜
Westinghouse Electric cv. 5s	92¾
Wisconsin Central 4s	92⅜

THE CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	30½
Amalgamated Copper	62½
American Agricultural	57
American Beet Sugar	43⅞
American Can	9¼
American Car and Foundry	53
American Cotton Oil	60
American Hide and Leather, pfd	23
American Ice Securities	24
American Linseed	10⅞
American Locomotive	37
American Smelting and Refining	74⅞
Amer. Smelting and Ref., pfd	104⅝
American Steel Foundries	46⅜
American Sugar Refining	118⅝
American Tel and Tel	144⅞
American Tobacco, pfd	97¼
American Woolen	31
Anaconda Mining Co	38
Atchison	105⅝
Atchison, pfd	110⅛
Atlantic Coast Line	118
Baltimore and Ohio	103⅝
Bethlehem Steel	31⅞
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	77¾
Canadian Pacific	221
Central Leather	28⅜
Central Leather, pfd	99⅛
Central of New Jersey	278
Chesapeake and Ohio	81
Chicago and Alton	30
Chicago and Great Western	21½
Chicago Great Western, pfd	44
Chicago and North Western	144½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	120⅜
C., C., C. and St. Louis	63
Colorado Fuel and Iron	31½
Colorado and Southern	52
Consolidated Gas	144⅝
Corn Products	14⅜
Delaware and Hudson	167
Denver and Rio Grande	31
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	70½
Distillers' Securities	35
Erie	30⅜
Erie, 1st pfd	48⅜
Erie, 2nd pfd	38¼
General Electric	148¾
Great Northern, pfd	126½
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	60¼
Illinois Central	138
Interborough-Met	18½
Interborough-Met., pfd	53
Inter Harvester	117
Inter Marine, pfd	17
International Paper	10⅝
International Pump	40½
Iowa Central	16¾
Kansas City Southern	34
Kansas City Southern, pfd	66
Laclede Gas	103
Louisville and Nashville	143¾
Minneapolis and St. Louis	23
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	146⅜
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	33½
Mo., Kansas and Texas, pfd	60
Missouri Pacific	51⅜
National Biscuit	132
National Lead	52¾
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	35
New York Central	106½
New York, Ontario and Western	41½
Norfolk and Western	108
North American	71⅝
Northern Pacific	123¼
Pacific Mail	24
Pennsylvania	126
People's Gas	107½
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	96½
Pittsburg Coal	21
Pressed Steel Car	35
Pullman Palace Car	150
Railway Steel Spring	33½
Reading	155⅜
Republic Steel	33
Republic Steel, pfd	97
Rock Island Co	29¼
Rock Island Co., pfd	50
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	41½
St. Louis Southwestern	31
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	66½
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	51¾
Southern Pacific	115⅜
Southern Railway	26⅞
Southern Railway, pfd	65
Tennessee Copper	38
Texas and Pacific	28½
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	20
Toledo, St. Louis and Western, pfd	47
Union Pacific	176⅜
Union Pacific, pfd	92½
United States Realty	72
United States Rubber	42⅛
United States Steel	77½
United States Steel, pfd	118⅝
Utah Copper	44
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	66½
Wabash	16⅜
Wabash, pfd	37½
Western Maryland	49⅜
Westinghouse Electric	66
Western Union	73¼
Wheeling and Lake Erie	4½

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, March 31.—Confident estimates putting the new growth of winter wheat 35,000,000 bushels in excess of last year, aided in driving down prices today. The close showed a loss of ½@⅝ to ¾c., compared with 24 hours before. Corn finished ⅛@⅜ to ¾ down, oats off a shade to a quarter, and hog products 12½@25 to 27½ decline.

Wheat—No. 2, red, 86¼@87½; No. 3, red, 84@86; No. 2, hard, 86½@87¾; No. 3, hard, 84@87; No. 1, northern, 95@98; No. 2, northern, 94@95; No. 3, northern, 93@96; No. 2, spring, 89@92; No. 3, spring, 88@92; velvet chaff, 84@91; durum, 82@86½.

Corn—No. 2, 46¼@46½; No. 2, white, 46¾@46½; No. 2, yellow, 46¼@47; No. 3, 44¼@45; No. 3, white, 44@45; No. 3, yellow, 44¾@45½; No. 4, 42¾@43; No. 4, white, 42¾@43¾; No. 4, yellow, 42¾@43¾.

Oats—No. 2, white, 31½@32; No. 3, white, 30¼@31; No. 4, white, 29½@30½; standard, 31@31¾.

Wheat:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	86¾	86¾	85¾	86¼
July	87¼	87⅝	86½	86⅞
Sept	87⅝	87⅝	87	87¼
Corn:				
May	47⅜	47⅝	47⅛	47½
July	49½	49½	48⅞	49¼
Sept	50⅞	50⅞	50⅛	50½
Oats:				
May	30½	30½	30¼	30⅜
July	30⅞	30⅞	30⅜	30⅞
Sept	31	31	30⅝	30⅞
Mess Pork, per barrel:				
May	15.35	15.37½	15.12½	15.15
July	15.07½	15.12½	14.97½	15.02½
Lard, per 100 pounds:				
May	8.42½	8.42½	8.25	8.30
July	8.40	8.42½	8.27½	8.30
Sept	8.37½	8.37½	8.25	8.27½
Short Ribs, per 100 pounds:				
May	8.77½	8.77½	8.65	8.72½
July	8.57½	8.37½	8.20	8.27½
Sept	8.25	8.25	8.10	8.15

COTTON RECEIPTS.

New York, March 31.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston	2,607,887
New Orleans	1,588,285
Mobile	233,682
Savannah	1,336,440
Charleston	273,406
Wilmington	395,225
Norfolk	519,589
Baltimore	90,867
New York	7,849
Boston	34,047
Newport News	1,864
Philadelphia	315
San Francisco	79,505
Brunswick	211,655
Port Townsend	56,399
Pensacola	110,967
Portland, Ore	500
Port Arthur and Sabine Pass	202,273
Jacksonville	21,167
El Paso	55
Laredo	400
Gulfport	34,211
Georgetown	1,165
Texas City	307,073
Minor Ports	14,699
Total	7,937,925

NAVAL STORES.

New York, March 31.—Turpentine, firm. Machine barrels, 1.07.

Savannah, March 31.—Turpentine, steady, 1.02. Sales, none; receipts, 275; shipments, 738; stocks, 1,574.

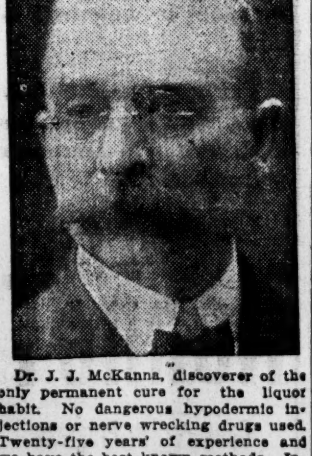
Rosin—Firm. Sales, 1,332; receipts, 1,023; shipments, 2,974; stock, 30,118. Quote: B, 8.10; D, 8.22½; E, 8.32½; F and G, 8.40; H, 8.42½; I and K, 8.50; M, 8.47½; N, W G and W W, 8.57½.

Charleston, March 31.—Turpentine, firm, at 1.02.

Rosin—Firm. Quote: A B C, 8.07½@8.15; D, 8.20@8.25; E, 8.30@8.40; F and G, 8.40; H and I, 8.45; K and M, 8.47½; N and W G, and W W, 8.55.

"Another Side-Splitter."

"The Widow Visits Spriggtown."—Grand Theatre today. **



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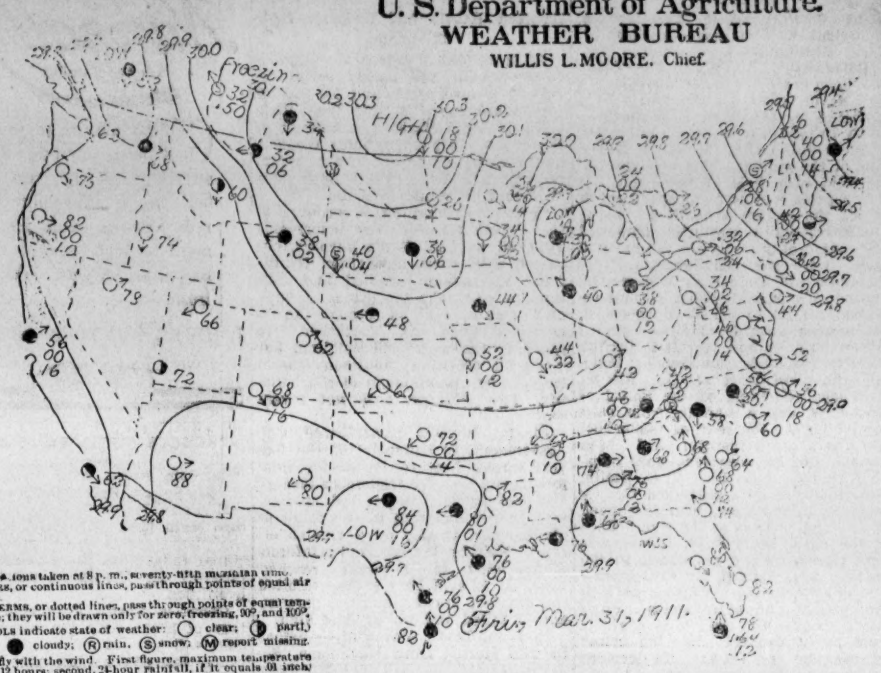
U. S. Department of Agriculture.
WEATHER BUREAU
WILLIS L. MOORE, Chief.
Observations taken at 8 p. m., seventy-fifth meridian time.
ISOBARS, or continuous lines, pass through points of equal air pressure.
ISOTHERMS, or dotted lines, pass through points of equal temperature; they will be drawn only for zero, freezing, 50°, and 100°.
SYMBOLS indicate state of weather: ○ clear; ◑ part'l cloudy; ● cloudy; (R) rain, (S) snow, (M) report missing.
Arrows fly with the wind. First figure, maximum temperature for past 12 hours; second, 24-hour rainfall, if it equals .01 inch; third, wind velocity of 10 miles per hour or more.
HIGH
LOW
Friday, Mar. 31, 1911.

THE WEATHER

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., April 1st, 1911.

Meteorolcgical data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M., Friday, March 31st;

Temperature at 8 A. M., 42 degrees; 8 P. M., 53 degrees; maximum 60 degrees; minimum 37 degrees; mean 48 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month 3.95 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Friday, 8.3

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Unsettled with probably rain late Saturday or Sunday, moderate variable winds.

Port Calendar—April 1st.

Sun Rises	5:59 A. M.
Sun Sets	6:32 P. M.
Day's Length	12 hrs. 33 min.
Hight Water at Southport	10:15 P. M.
High Water at Wilmington	1:15 P. M.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

March 31, 1911.

STATIONS.	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature Highest Today.	Temperature Lowest last night.	24-hour precipitation, 8 P. M.
Asheville	raining	62	.8	.0
Atlanta	cloudy	68	28	.0
Charleston	clear	64	38	.0
Charlotte	cloudy	58	3.	.0
Chicago	cloudy	40	.8	.0
Galveston	cloudy	76	68	.0
Jacksonville	clear	74	50	.0
New Orleans	cloudy	76	56	.0
New York	clear	4.	34	.0
Pittsburg	clear	34	.4	.02
Raleigh	cloudy	56	34	.0
St. Louis	clear	44	30	.22
Washington	clear	46	34	.0

Midnight in the Ozarks.

and yet sleepless Hiram Scranton, of Clay City, Ill., coughed and coughed. He was in the mountains on the advice of five doctors, who said he had consumption, but found no help in the climate, and started home. Hearing of Dr. King's New Discovery, he began to use it. "I believe it saved my life," he writes, "for it made a new man of me, so that I can now do good work again." For all lung diseases, coughs, colds, la grippe, asthma, croup, whooping cough, hay fever, hemorrhages, hoarseness or quinsy, its the best known remedy. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

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25 cents the Can.
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ALL NEXT WEEK.
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Matinees for Ladies Only Wednesday and Friday.
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Seats for Monday night on sale at Plummer's Saturday.
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Styles and sizes of othe makes ranging in price from
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Be sure to see our line of samples before you buy.
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We have them. Not the ordinary sort of clothing that you see everywhere but the unusual sort that you see on men of taste and that you can secure only at this store.
Clothes that are cut after smarter models, from better, stronger fabrics, by more skilled master tailors— such are Stein Bloch Clothes.
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Agents for the Stein Bloch Clothing, John B. Stetson Hats and Star Shirts. z

SEED POTATOES.
115 Sacks Red Bliss.
25 Sacks White Bliss.
75 Sacks Irish Cobblers.
25 Sacks Early Rose.
25 Bushels Yellow Onions Sets.
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200 Tons Bangles Guano.
100 Tons Acme Guano.
Also a full line of Groceries, all of which will be sold on a close margin.
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WHOLESALE GROCERS,
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Yawman & Erbe Vertical Letter Files and Card Index Systems; Moore's Loose Leaf Record Books for all office and factory record keeping systems; Loose Leaf Ledgers and Memo. Books; Typewriter Paper; Ribbons and Carbon Paper. Inks, Pens, Pencils and Pen Holders.
The Fox Visible Typewriter.
ROBERT C. DeROSSET
32 North Front street.

WAYNE COUNTY SCHOOLS.

Joint Commencement Exercises at Goldsboro Yesterday—Speakers.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Goldsboro, N. C., March 31.—Today has been a red-letter day for Goldsboro. Never before has the county been gathered together here as it has been today to join in a common celebration of a common cause, the higher education of the masses. The first rally of its kind ever held in the State. It was a great joining commencement of of all the county schools in Wayne and every child who had completed the course of study up to the seventh grade were given diplomas. These diplomas will be accepted as certificates to the High Schools without examination. At 10 o'clock a procession of children formed on the graded school grounds and marched through the city headed by the Fremont Band, and the chief marshal, Col. Jos. E. Robinson, chairman of the Board of Education, and a marshal from each township. At the rear of the school grounds a large rostrum had been erected and the exercises were opened with prayer by Rev. V. G. Smith. Col. Robinson then presented County Supt. E. T. Atkinson, who responded in a strong address on the significance of the day. State Supt. Joyner was next presented and responded in the address programmed for ex-Governor Aycock, concluding his discourse with the presentation of diplomas. State certificates in the corn club contests were also presented; also the prizes awarded by the County Betterment Society and won by the several schools. The occasion was one of the greatest in the history of Goldsboro and will linger long in the memory of all who were present.

CAROLINA'S FIRST DEFEAT.

Score Three to Two in Unsatisfactory Game With LaFayette Yesterday.

(Spec.al Star Telegram.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., March 31.—Carolina suffered her first defeat of the season today at the hands of her old rival LaFayette, by the close score of 3 to 2. The game was made unpleasant at times by the constant grumbling of the visitors upon the decisions of Umpire Stewart. Carolina scored in the first on a double by Lindsay, followed by Edward's single. In the third LaFayette came back strong and by a combination of four safeties and a stolen base and an error, Fillmore, Harrison and Williams were sent across the pan. Carolina scored another in the fifth, Pember singled, stole second, took third on an error and tallied on Witherington's sacrifice hit.

Carolina suffered a severe loss in the third inning when Capt. Hackney had to retire from the game on account of an injury to his arm which he received when he attempted to make one of his wonderful shoe string catches of a Texas leaguer from Conover's bat. It is not known yet whether he will be out of the game for any length of time or not. Score:

LaFayette	003 000 000	3	7 2
Carolina	100 010 000	2	5 3

Long and Conover; Duls and Witherington. Struck out, by Long 7, Duls 9; base on balls, off Long 1, Duls 1; hit by pitched ball, Duls; two base-hit, Lindsay.

EARTHQUAKE IN ARKANSAS.

Skyscrapers Rocked Visibly—Tremors Felt in Memphis.

Little Rock, Ark., March 31.—Little Rock was shaken by an earthquake this morning at 10:50 o'clock. Mirrors were shaken from walls, desks and chears in offices rolled about and windows clattered. A near-panic occurred in the Southwestern Telegraph and Telephone building.

H. F. Alciator, section director of the Weather Bureau, whose offices are located on the tenth floor of the Southern Trust building, reported considerable sway in that building. The Union railroad station, built of heavy concrete and stone, was rocked perceptibly.

Pine Bluff, Dumas and Wilmar also reported having experienced shocks.

No serious damage has so far been reported.

Memphis, Tenn., March 31.—The local weather bureau today reported two slight earth tremors occurring at 10:57 o'clock. The vibrations were very slight.

VISIBLE SUPPLY OF COTTON.

Hester's Statement Shows 4,230,580 Bales—World's Supply.

New Orleans, March 31.—Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton issued today shows the total visible to be 4,230,580 bales against 4,308,906 last week and 4,162,237 last year. Of this the total of American cotton is 3,098,580 bales against 3,159,906 last week and 2,863,237 last year and of all other kinds, including Egypt, Brazil, India, etc., 1,132,000 bales against 1,149,000 last week and 1,299,000 last year.

Of the world's visible supply of cotton there is now afloat and held in Great Britain and continental Europe 2,506,000 against 2,245,000 last year; in Egypt 218,000 against 143,000 last year; in India 549,000 against 760,000 last year, and in the United States 958,000 against 1,014,000 last year.

BALL PLAYER IN CRASH.

LeJeune Seriously Injured at Knoxville, Tenn., Yesterday.

Knoxville, Tenn., March 31.—Sheldon LeJeune, of the Brooklyn ball team, was seriously injured in an automobile crash late this afternoon. He was one of a party of four, taking a ride over the city. The car skidded, smashed into a fence and was demolished. Others in the party received slight bruises.

Seven to Nine.

On Saturday night the People's Savings Bank is open for your convenience. Deposit your money there tonight. **

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Plate Ice Co.—Plate ice.
C. W. Yates & Co.—Books of the Month.
R. E. Peters, Agt.—A Good Proposition.
People's Savings Bank—Saturday Night.
Hopkins & Davis—Extra Fancy Chickens.
John S. McEachern, Ch'rm'n—City Election.

Business Locals.

Lost—Bunch of Keys.
Wanted—Hustling Boys.
For Sale—R. I. Red Eggs.
Palace Market Co.—Fresh Vegetables.
Wilmington Driving Association—Meeting.

BLOODY FIGHT IN MEXICO.

Between Rebels and Federals Near Chihuahua.

El Paso, Texas, March 31.—A stubbornly fought and bloody battle between 300 insurrectos and 200 federal troops has raged around the little town of Santa Barbara, southwest of the city of Chihuahua, since Wednesday morning, according to a telegram received here from Parral. Both sides have sent for reinforcements.

Wednesday morning, according to the Parral dispatch, the insurrectos attacked and took Santa Barbara, but before they could strengthen its defense the federals rallied and attempted to retake the place. A body of 25 rurales charged through the insurrectos lines and succeeded in reaching the municipal building, but were cut off from the main federal body. They took refuge in the building. The telegram does not reveal their fate.

Finding himself outnumbered, Col. Arseamendi, in command of the federal troops, sent to Parral for reinforcements and the insurrecto leaders are said to have dispatched messengers in the direction of the camp of Madero and Orozco on a similar errand. Neither had received reinforcements when the message reached here. It is said both sides exhibited the greatest bravery and the percentage of killed and wounded is high.

El Paso, Texas, March 31.—Advices to The Herald from Magdelena, Sonora, by mail, declare that Monday's battle reported from Tgua Prieta as a victory for the federals was really a victory for the rebels.

Instead of being ambushed themselves, the rebels ambushed the federals at San Rafael and the federals were driven to a mill at Santa Rosa, where the rebls surrounded them, says the correspondent. Then reinforcements came out from Hermosillo and the battle was raging on Dednesday when the letter was written.

WITH THE BIG LEAGUERS.

Signing of Players and Games in the South Yesterday.

Hot Springs, Ark., March 31.—Manager Daniel Shay, of the Kansas City American Association team today purchased "Red" Corridon, short stop, and "Pat" O'Connor, catcher, from the Pittsburg National League team. Shay is said to have paid $6,000 for the men.

Pueblo, Colo., March 31.—The Boston American League team defeated a picked Pueblo team today 11 to 4.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 31.—Owner Charles S. Havener, of the Milwaukee American Association baseball club, this afternoon announced the signing of Outfielder George Stone, former leading batsman of the American League.

Columbus, Ga., March 31.—In a game in which only one run was made, and that a homer on Pratt's fine drive to right in the fifth, Montgomery won from the Columbus, Ga., team here today.

Roanoke, Va., March 31.—The first game of the season was played here this afternoon when the locals met the second team of the Philadelphia Nationals and went down in defeat 17 to 4. The weather was extremely cold and was not conducive to good ball or the comfort of the crowd. The Philadelphians secured 16 hits during the nine innings.

Chattanooga, Tenn., March 31.—Rochester won from Chattanooga with ease today, the score being 6 to 1.

Memphis, Tenn., March 31.—Memphis defeated Greenwood, Cotton States League team ,today by a score of 15 to 5.

AMERICAN FIGHTS FOR REBELS.

Burbank Had Troubles Over His Marriage to Woman in Philippines.

Fort Leavenworth, Kas., March 31.—It is reported that Sidney S. Burbank, formerly lieutenant in the Sixth infantry, is in Mexico fighting as an officer in the army of the insurrectos.

Burbank came of one of the most illustrious families in the country. He was commissioned for bravery in the Spanish-American war and later served in the Philippines. He returned to Leavenworth in July, 1902, and at once became a social lion.

He became engaged to a young society woman but soon afterward a Filipino woman proved she was already his wife. He sued to annul the marriage. His wife won the suit but the marriage was afterward annulled with the provision that he never marry again.

Soon afterward Lieut. Burbank was convicted by a court martial of embezzling $485 of his company's funds. He was sentenced to fifteen months imprisonment. He was released on February 12, 1907, and for months wandered around the country, avoiding army posts and army people.

MEAT PACKERS FINED.

Case in Raleigh At Last Decided In Superior Court.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., March 31.—The noted prosecutions by Raleigh against Swift & Co., meat packers, for selling defective meat here, pending for a year, closed in Superior Court today by the imposition of $100 fine in one case and suspension of judgment in the other two. The fine was imposed in the case in which dressed hog in very bad condition was delivered by the packers to a dealer in the city market. Fines aggregating $1,000 in the police court have now dwindled to $100.

TRIAL AT BIRMINGHAM.

Suit Begins Against Southern Wholesale Grocers.

Birmingham, Ala., March 31. — Taking of testimony in the government's case against the Southern Wholtsael Grocers' Association, accused of operating in restraint of trade, bgan here this afternoon.

Special Examiner Robert N. Bell presided. The government is represented by Hinton C. Clabaugh, special representative of the department of justice; Assistant Attorney General O. E. Harrison, and United States District Attorney O. D. Street. The defendant is represented by General Luke E. Wright and Caruthers Ewing, of Memphis.

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GENEROUS assortment of nut candy adds to the attractive variety you will find in a Nunnally box. Every box is made to fully merit the high fame of these exquisite sweets. Always fresh.

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REBELS FIRM ABOUT DIAZ.

Insurrecto Army Will Have Final Say-So on Peace Programme.

El Paso, March 31.—Officers of the insurrecto junta here while declaring they hope earnestly for peace, again stated today that there seemed little prospect for immediate cessation of hostilities.

Gonzales Garza, insurrecto secretary of State, said the army in the field will have the final vote on any peace negotiations and that he does not believe they will vote to accept any terms which do not include the resignation of President Diaz. He declares the movement is an anti-Diaz one before anything else.

Railroad officials apparently have given up hope of opening the Mexican national lines between Juarez and Chihuahua as they have begun to send freight in the Juarez yards back into the United States under bond to be routed to Chihuahua via Eagle Pass. Not a train has moved between Juarez and Chihuahua since January 29th, except the armoured train bringing General Navarro's reinforcements, which repaired tracks and bridges before it under cover of field guns.

Repair work on the Mexican Northwestern road is proceeding without interruption between Juarez and Pearson.

VICTIM OF FIRE IN CAPITAL.

Corpse of Watchman Found on Fourth Floor of the Albany Building.

Albany, N. Y., March 31.—The body of Samuel J. Abbot, the only victim of the State capitol fire, was found today on the fourth floor in the southwest corner of the building where the flames raged fiercest.

A volunteer salvage corps, including officers of the State library and headed by Library Director James L. Wyler, Jr., and N. H. Stokes-Phelps, of New York, continued today the search of the debris for valuable manuscripts.

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is physical strength and bodily health. The bread winner cannot afford to give out.

It is a vital necessity that he keep his nervous and muscular system in good condition to withstand the daily wear and tear of life.

Those who are run-down, weakened or nervous should remember that nothing excels Vinol, which is a combination of the medicinal elements of the cod's liver and tonic iron, to strengthen the digestive organs, create an appetite, make new blood and restore strength.

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We ask every run-down, overworked, weak person in this vicinity to try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that their money will be returned if it does not do all we claim. Robert R. Bellamy, Druggist, Wilmington, N. C.

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BUSINESS LOCALS

Advertisements inserted under this head one cent per word for each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words, more than 25, one cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amounts being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messenger to any address in the city for advertisements in this department upon request by 'Phone to No. 51. A. D. T. Messenger will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Company, or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for the telegrams, but a small charge for strictly A. D. T. calls or telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams, bills rendered to suit the sender daily, weekly or monthly. For this service, call Western Union, 'Phone No. 2. But for advertisements, always call the Star office, No. 51. Copy for Business Locals cannot be taken over the telephone—but upon request Messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.

50 HUSTLING, ENERGETIC boys wanted at 9:15 A. M. Sunday morning, Union Depot. Can make 50c. to $1.50 in a few hours. See the man with the book. ap1-2t

EGGS—Rhode Island Reds, thoroughbred, can be bought at 513 South Second street; price, $1 per setting of 15. 'Phone 1320. ap1-3t*

DELICIOUS strawberry, chocolate and vanilla ice cream for Sunday. Let us have your orders early. E. Warren & Son, 'phone 376. ap1-1t

THE STOCKHOLDERS of the Wilmington Driving Association, Inc., are requested to meet at the Chamber of Commerce on Thursday night, April 6th. K. C. Sidbury, Sec'y. ap1-1t*

LOST—Between Front and Market streets and Clyde Line wharf, a bunch of keys. Finder will be suitably rewarded, if left at 413 N. Fifth street. ap1-1t

FRESH VEGETABLES inside. Full line of fresh vegetables, fruits, etc., will be found today at Palace Market, on the inside. Also complete line of fancy meats, dressed chickens and every thing good in my line. Palace Market Co., 'phone No. 72. ap1-tf

BREAD, CAKES AND PIES—We have the largest wholesale bakery in the State. Special attention to out of town orders. Write for our prices. Farris' Bakery, 109 South Front st.; P. O. Box 480. mh26-1mo

FOR COUNCILMAN—Fifth Ward. We, the citizens of 5th Ward, announce W. V. Sellars as a candidate from Fifth Ward. mh26-6t*

BIG TRACT OF LAND—Over one thousand acres, for sale. Located on Atlantic Coast Line and Castle Hayne public road. Splendid location for factory and home sites for employees. Smith & Lord, Agts., 120 Princess street. 'Phone 766. mh26-tf

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"A STITCH IN TIME," when applied to the Typewriter machine, means what? I'll remedy any break. 'Phone is 625. J. T. R. mh26-tf

FOR SALE — Two Jersey cows, with young calves; pure bred. Apply at 1120 Dock street. Henry Mumford. mh31-2t*

SMITH & LORD—Insurance and Real Estate Agents, 120 Princess street. If you wish to insure your property or buy or sell real estate, give us a call, or 'phone us. (No. 766). fe26-tf

EXTRA GOOD native beef today. You ought to see it; also other meats. Full line of vegetables and fruits. Tomatoes and celery at reduced prices, for balance of this week. Palace Market Co.; 'phone No. 72. mh30-tf

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SEE US TODAY—Fresh meats, fruits and vegetables. Lamb, veal, pork and beef. Soup beans, cucumbers, beets, lettuce, celery and tomatoes. Call us up, or come and see. Palace Market Co., 'phone No. 72. mh28-tf

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